

NARRATIVE TEXT

Answer the questions!

Long time ago, there was a Maura, who liked to be thought of as the most beautiful and powerful queen of Arabia, had many suitors. One by one, she discarded them, until her list was reduced to just three sheiks, all equally young and handsome, rich and strong. It was very hard to decide who would be the best of them.

One evening, Maura disguised herself and went to the camp of the three sheiks, as they were about to have dinner, and asked them for something to eat. The first gave her some leftover food; the second gave her some unappetizing camel's tail; the third sheik, who was called Hakim, offered her some of the most tender and tasty meat. After dinner, the disguised queen left the sheiks' camp.

The following day the queen invited the three sheiks to dinner at her palace. She ordered her servants to give each one exactly what they had given her the evening before. Hakim, who received a plate of delicious meat, refused to eat it if the other two could not share it with him, and this act finally convinced Queen Maura that he was the man for her. "Without question, Hakim is the most generous of you," she announced her choice to the sheiks. "Finally, she says" Hakim I will marry."

1. The three sheiks were not...
 - A. Rich
 - B. Young
 - C. Strong
 - D. Handsome
 - E. Gloomy

2. Which statement is TRUE about the queen?
 - A. The queen was the most powerful queen in Africa
 - B. The queen was very proud of her beauty and riches
 - C. The queen herself served the sheiks with delicious food
 - D. The queen was very careful in deciding whom she would marry
 - E. The queen was very satisfied with the food given by the sheiks

3. The Queen ordered her servants to give the sheiks the same kind of food she got from the evening before because...
 - A. she wanted to entertain her guests
 - B. she wanted to test the sheiks' taste
 - C. she wanted to see the sheiks' reactions
 - D. she wanted to make a joke of the sheiks
 - E. she wanted to repay the sheik's kindness

4. The main idea of the last paragraph is...
 - A. Hakim was an unselfish person
 - B. Hakim was served with succulent meat
 - C. Hakim was satisfied with the food served
 - D. Hakim wanted to share the food with the sheiks
 - E. Hakim had made the queen find the resolution of her problem