

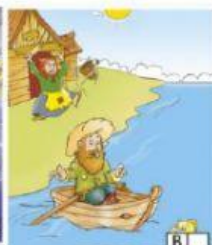
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The Fisherman and the Fish

Task 1. Look at the pictures. Which one shows:

1		a beautiful house?	4		an angry woman with a bucket?
2		a fisherman catching a fish?	5		a queen and her servants?
3		dark sea and rain?	6		a queen and the golden fish as a servant?



Task 2. Learn new words.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xKfZTijY2R8>

- poor • catch • let • wish • surprised • fool
- shout • calm • swim away • grant a wish • rich
- dark • land • stormy • cloud • sky • turn

Task 3. Listen, read the story, and put the pictures in the correct order.

An old fisherman and his wife lived in a small house near the sea. They were very poor. One day, the fisherman caught a golden fish.

"Please let me go," said the fish, "and you can have anything you wish!" The fisherman was very surprised. The fish could speak!

"Dear little fish," said the old man, "I don't want anything!"

He let the fish go and walked home. He told his wife about the fish.

"You fool!" she shouted. "We need a new bucket! Go back and ask for a bucket!"

So the fisherman went back to the sea. It was calm. He called the golden fish and it swam up to him.

"What do you want, good man?" it asked.

"My wife wants a new bucket," said the fisherman.

"You can have your wish. Go home now," said the fish and swam away.

The fisherman went home and saw a new bucket, but his wife was still angry. She wanted a new house. So the fisherman went back to the sea and called the golden fish again. This time the sea was not so calm.

The fish granted his wish and the fisherman went back home. He saw a beautiful new house, but his wife was still angry. She wanted to be rich with a huge house. So the fisherman went back to find the fish. The sea was dark now and the sky was grey. The fish granted her wish, but still she wasn't happy. She wanted to be a queen with a palace and servants so she sent her husband back to find the fish. The fish granted her wish, but still she wasn't happy. She wanted to be the Queen of the Land and Sea, with the golden fish as her servant.

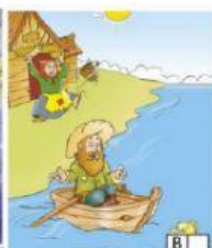
The fisherman went back to the sea and called the golden fish. The sea was stormy and there were clouds in the sky.

"I'm sorry, dear fish!" he cried. "Now my wife wants to be Queen of the Land and Sea, and she wants you to be her servant."

The fish didn't answer. It turned and swam away.

The fisherman went home. He couldn't see the palace or the servants. All he could see was his small house and his wife. She was poor again and in front of her was the old bucket.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hGbvdDWz9Xo>



Task 4. Read the story again and complete the sentences.

<i>let it go</i>	<i>Land and Sea</i>	<i>want anything</i>
<i>fool</i>	<i>new house</i>	<i>a small house and the old bucket</i>

- 1 One day, the fisherman caught a golden fish but he
- 2 The golden fish offered the fisherman a wish, but the old man didn't
- 3 When the fisherman told his wife about the fish, she called him a
- 4 The fisherman's wife asked for a with her second wish.
- 5 The fisherman's wife wished to be the Queen of the
- 6 At the end of the story, the fisherman and his wife only had

Task 5. Use the adjectives to complete the summary of The Fisherman and the Fish.

rich golden small huge new kind

The fisherman and his wife were poor and they lived in a 1) house by the sea. One day, the fisherman caught a 2) fish. The fish had the power to grant wishes, but the fisherman was a 3) man and he let it go without asking for anything. The fisherman's wife was angry at this. She wanted many things. She wished for a 4) bucket, to be a 5) woman with a 6) house and to be a queen. The fish granted all her wishes until she asked to be the Queen of the Land and Sea and for the fish to be her servant. The fish didn't grant this last wish. It left and didn't come back. The fisherman and his wife lost everything.