

Reader: Three Adventures of Sherlock Holmes

The Speckled Band: Pages 1-3

- 1) Choose the correct option and answer the questions.

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1. How was the lady at the beginning of the story?
 - a) *She was frightened.*
 - b) *She was in a great state of excitement.*

 2. Who was Sherlock's friend?
 - a) *Mrs Hudson*
 - b) *Dr Watson*

 3. Was the lady happy?
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4. How did the lady feel?
 - a) *She felt frightened.*
 - b) *She felt angry.*

5. What was the lady like?
 - a) *She looked about thirty years old and she had grey hair.*
 - b) *She looked about forty years old and she was blonde.*

6. How did Sherlock know that she travelled by train?
 - a) *He saw the ticket inside her glove.*
 - b) *He saw the ticket inside her coat.*

7. Why did she visit Sherlock Holmes?

- a) *Because she was curious.*
- b) *Because she heard about Mrs. Farintosh.*

8. What did Sherlock take out from his desk?

9. What was Farintosh's case about?

10. Did he accept to help the lady?

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11. What's the lady's name?

12. What's the story of Helen's family about?

- a) *Her family was the richest in England but now they only had a small piece of land.*
- b) *Her family was rich and now even more.*

13. Who was Helen's stepfather?

14. What happened to Dr Roylott?

- a) He went to prison, because he killed a servant.
- b) He went to prison because he stole.

15. How did Helen's mother die?
