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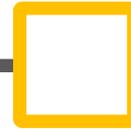
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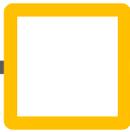


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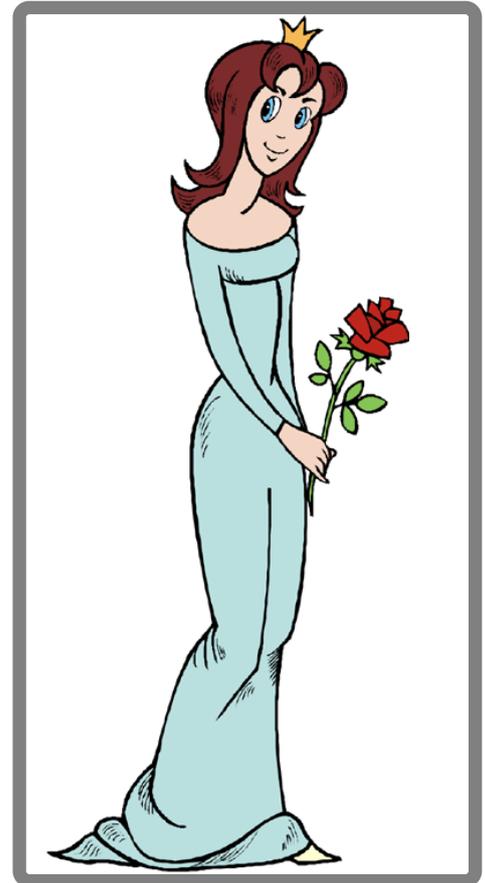
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Every evening the beast would ask Beauty to marry him and she would always refuse. Three months passed like this. One day, Beauty looked at the mirror on the wall and saw that her father was very sick. She ran to the beast and begged him to let her go home. The beast agreed that she could visit her family.



When she arrived, she found the beast on the ground. He had fainted, but she thought he was dead. She started crying. When her tears dropped on the beast's chest, he turned into a handsome prince. He had been turned into a beast by an angry fairy long ago. Finding true love had broken the spell. They got married and lived happily.



There was no one in it. He was cold and hungry. He dried his clothes and ate the meal he found on the table. As he was so tired, he fell asleep on a bed that he found there. When he woke up in the morning, he found some clean clothes and wore them. He was about to leave the castle when he saw some roses in the garden.



Her father left and she started crying. At first, she thought the beast was going to kill him, but later she realised that it was not true. He had prepared her a lovely room. There was a mirror on the wall which showed her home as well. She thought the beast had a good heart and he would never hurt her. They started living together.



Before he left, the beast gave him a bag full of gold and precious things. When the man arrived home and told what had happened, Beauty decided to go to the Beast's castle. She left home and went there with his father. The beast thought she had a very good heart when he learned that she had come with her own will.



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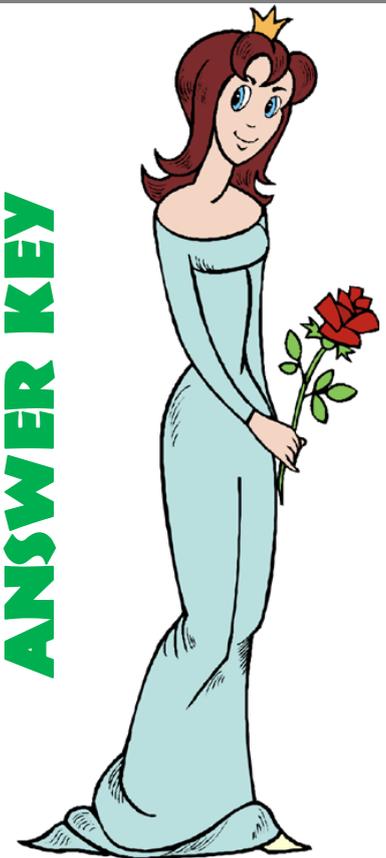
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