

Activities

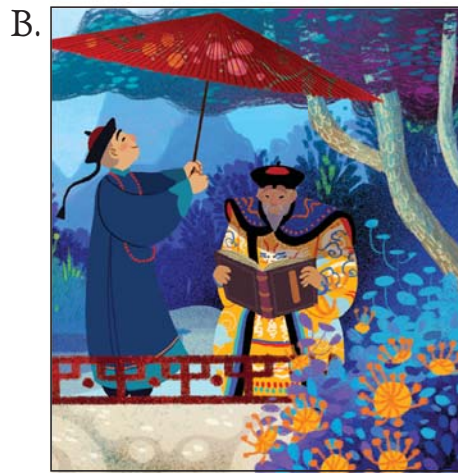
The answers are on page 32.

What happened when?

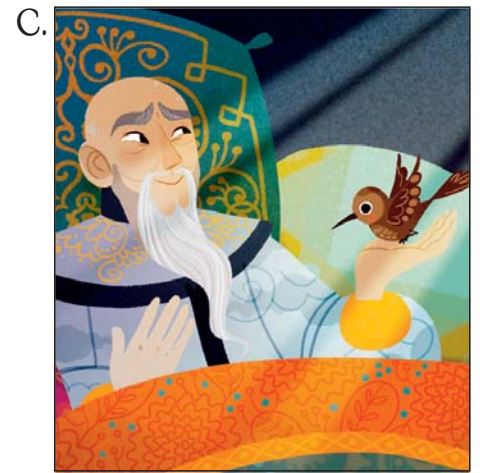
Can you put the pictures and sentences in order?



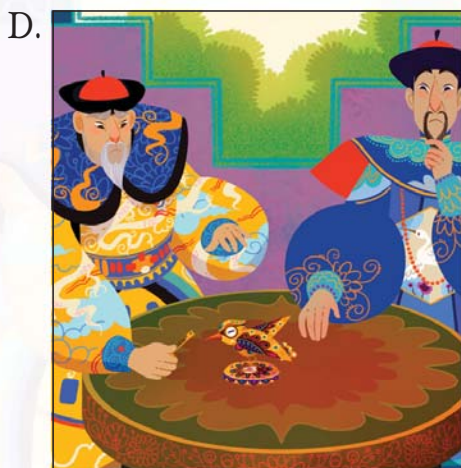
They heard a beautiful sad song in the trees.



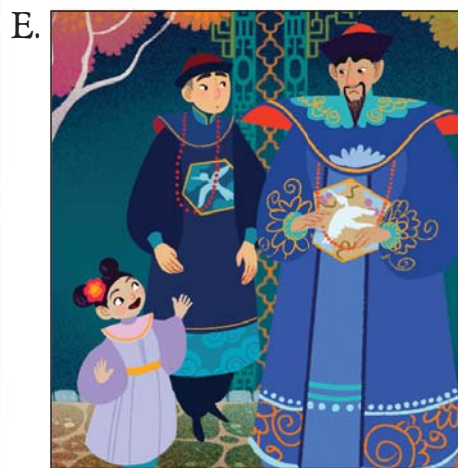
“What is this nightingale?”



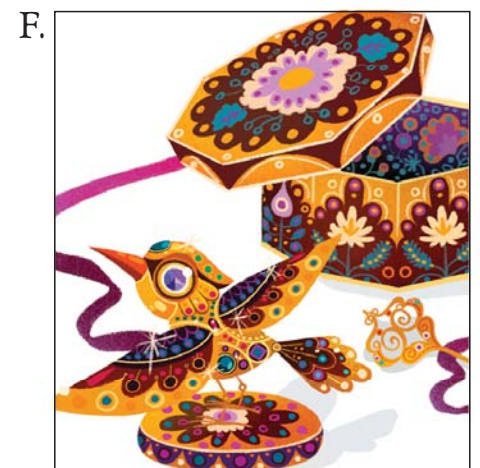
“Please, stay with me now.”



The golden bird turned around once... and stopped.



“The nightingale’s nest is in the forest near my mother’s house.”



“Look! It’s another nightingale!”

Talk about things in the story

Choose the right word to finish each sentence.

secret golden sad important
wonderful real happy wooden



In the palace lived the most man in China.



"..... music!" they said.



They made a..... cage.



"Where is the nightingale?"

Are you sure?

One word in each sentence is wrong.
Can you choose the right word instead?

1.



“Those are just trees.”
cows birds flowers

2.



“She’s not very happy.”
big brown pretty

3.



All the servants tried to
sing nightingale songs.
people princesses birds

4.



Then a few years later, the
Emperor was strange.
hungry sorry ill

What do they want?

Choose the right sentence for each person.

A.

I hope the nightingale is happy.

B.

I hope the nightingale is near.



The kitchen girl

A.

I want to make it better.

B.

I want to sell it later.



The clockmaker

A.

I want to see the ghosts.

B.

I don't want to hear the ghosts.



The Emperor

A.

I want to help the Emperor.

B.

I want a new golden cage.



The nightingale

The end of the story

Choose three sentences that are true.



1. The servants stayed outside the room.
2. The Emperor was dying.
3. The Emperor wanted to thank the nightingale.
4. The nightingale and the Emperor were friends again.
5. The nightingale stayed in the palace.
6. The Emperor was happy.