

Chapter 10

The Gift of the Magi

a) 'Will you buy me hair?'

Q.1 Who said this to whom?

Q.2 Why did the speaker want to sell her hair?

Q.3 How much money did the listener offer for the hair?

Q.4 Give antonym of the word 'buy'.

b) 'Please, God make him think I'm still pretty'

Q.1 Who is the speaker?

Q.2 Why did the speaker wish so?

Q.3 Whom does the word 'him' refer to?

Q.4 Give synonym of the word 'pretty'.

c) "But if you'll unwrap that package you may see why you had me bewildered at first."

Q.1 Who said this to whom?

Q.2 What was in the package?

Q.3 How did the listener react on unwrapping the package?

Q.4 Give synonym of the word 'bewildered'.

Questions.

1. Describe the relationship between Della and Jim.
2. Which analogies does the author give to value the great possessions of Dillinghams?
3. Why does the author call Della and Jim, the Magi?

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