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The Three Questions

Read and answer

A. 1. a) Abbey

2. b) velvet coats

3. c) three

4. a) two weeks'

5. b) Oxford

B. 1. The king of England was harsh and cruel to his people. He did not want anyone to live in grander style than him. He only thought of his benefit.

2. The king heard that the abbot lived in a grander style than him and he decided to put a stop to it.

3. The abbot said that he was spending his own money and not anyone else's.

4. The abbot asked for two weeks' time to find answers to his three questions.

5. No, the abbot did not find answers to the king's questions.
At last, he rode back home to bid goodbye to his friends and brave knights.

C. 1. a) The abbot said these lines to the king.

b) The speaker hoped that king would understand his point of view and forgive him.

c) He dined with his friends and knights every day and made things pleasant for him.

2. a) "I" refers to the king in the above line.

b) He thought that he was put to shame because the abbot was living in a grander style than him.

c) The above line tells us that the king is harsh, cruel and insecure.