



A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court

Mark Twain

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Teen Readers

Activities

1 Fill in the gaps with the correct verb.

We **1** _____ (leave) early in the morning.
 On the road, some noble people **2** _____ (pass).
 I had **3** _____ (tell) the king to bow to them.
 He didn't know how **4** _____ (behave).
 He **5** _____ (not be) good at bowing and
 one of the nobles tried to hit him. I stepped in and
 he **6** _____ (hit) me instead. Next, we
7 _____ (meet) two knights. The king
8 _____ (not move) off the road. He **9**
 _____ (not understand) that peasants had no
 rights, he believed the knights **10** _____ (ride)
 round him. They didn't.



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- 2 Find the words in the wordsearch from Chapter 4. Then choose 3 and write a sentence with each one.**

assistant - better - couple - everything - farmer - food - hut - kind
law - less - mad - mercy - more - noble - nothing - talked - rich - silly

N	K	T	B	C	O	U	P	L	E
O	I	A	E	S	M	M	O	R	E
T	N	L	T	I	E	H	U	T	F
H	D	K	T	L	R	L	R	F	A
I	M	E	E	L	C	A	I	O	R
N	A	D	R	Y	Y	W	C	O	M
G	D	N	O	B	L	E	H	D	E
A	S	S	I	S	T	A	N	T	R
E	V	E	R	Y	T	H	I	N	G

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Test yourself

**Write a message from Hank to his girlfriend in America.
 Tell her some of the things you did in King Arthur's England
 and about some of the people you met.**



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Focus on...



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