

Blancaflor—Comprehension

Read the following questions carefully. You may look back at the selection to help find the answer to each question.

- 1 Why did Alfonso agree to go the Land of No Return in three years?
 - A to seek a long lost ring
 - B to find a princess to marry
 - C in exchange for a cure for his ill father
 - D in exchange for Blancaflor's hand in marriage

- 2 Who helped Alfonso complete the three tasks he was given at the Three Silver Towers?
 - F Viento
 - G an eagle
 - H Blancaflor
 - I Blancaflor's father

- 3 Which task was Alfonso given after he made the wine?
 - A make some bread
 - B ride an eagle over the ocean
 - C race a horse up a steep mountain
 - D bring back a ring lost in the ocean

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- 4 What caused Viento to run faster?
- Ⓕ Alfonso gave Viento some food.
 - Ⓖ The eagle gave Viento his speed.
 - Ⓗ Blancaflor spoke to Viento softly.
 - Ⓘ Alfonso gave Viento all his good thoughts.
- 5 What message does the author want to give the reader?
- Ⓐ Live and let live.
 - Ⓑ Think before you act.
 - Ⓒ One's word should be honored.
 - Ⓓ The wicked often fall into their own snares.

