### Simplicity

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Once upon a time .............. them a lesson.

He invited some .............. the meal late.

On the appointed day .............. for the dinner.

But nothing happened .............. to their fill.

A few minutes .............. the Holy Prophet (S.A.W.).
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EXERCISES

Answer the following questions.

i. How did the Khalifah teach the distinguished guests to live a life of simplicity?
Ans: When the distinguished guests felt very hungry, the Khalifah ordered some parched grams to be served which he and his guests ate to their fill. A few minutes later, the guests were served hot food but they did not feel hungry any more. Therefore, the guests refused to eat saying that they were full. Thereupon, the pious Khalifah spoke out, "Brothers, when you can satisfy your appetite with so simple a diet, then why do you play with fire and snatch the properties and rights of others?" These words deeply moved the guests of the house of Ummayads who burst into tears.

ii. Write down the chief characteristics of the personality of Umer Bin Abdul Aziz (R.A.).
Ans: Hazrat Umer Bin Abdul Aziz was a very God fearing, kind, just and pious Khalifah. He served the people by acting upon this saying, "The ruler of a nation is a servant of the nation.

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iii. Why did the Khalifah invite certain people to dinner?
Ans: The Khalifa invited certain people to dinner to teach them a lesson. (Lahore Board 2010 Group I)

iv. Why did he order his cook to serve the meal late?
Ans: He ordered his cook to serve the meal late because he wanted to make his guests conscious of their wrong deeds.

v. What did he serve when his guests were hungry?
Ans: When his guests were hungry, he served them parched grams.

vi. Why did the guests refuse to eat the dinner?
Ans: The guests refused to eat dinner because it came at an hour when they had already eaten the parched grams and did not feel hungry any more.

vii. What was the lesson taught by the Khalifah?
Ans: Simplicity and respect for others' rights was the lesson taught by the Khalifah.

Choose the correct answers.

i. The guests invited by the Khalifah belonged to the house of:
   a) Ummayads  b) Quresh
   c) Abbasids  d) Banu Affan

ii. The Khalifah asked his cook to:
   a) bring the food quickly.
   b) delay the preparation of food
   c) serve the meal late
   d) to serve parched grams

iii. The guests ate:
   a) roasted meat  b) parched grams
   c) steaming hot food  d) rice

iv. The guests:
   a) tasted the food when it was served
   b) didn't eat the food
   c) they ate at once.  d) refused it

v. The Khalifah's words:
   a) moved the guests.
   b) enraged the guests
   c) comforted the guests.
   d) annoyed the guests
Fill in the blanks
i. The Khalifah's rule was known for his ______ administration.
ii. He invited some ______ people to dinner.
iii. The Khalifah ordered his cook to ______ the meal late.
iv. The Khalifah was none other than ______.
v. He is considered to be the fifth ______ Khalifah of Islam.

Connect part of the sentence in Column I with the relevant part in Column II and write your answer in Column III.

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<td>He worked for the prosperity and</td>
<td>Expense of the common man</td>
<td>Well being of the people.</td>
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<td>They enjoyed life at the</td>
<td>Parched grams</td>
<td>Expense of the common man</td>
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<td>To satisfy the hunger, he ordered</td>
<td>well being of the people</td>
<td>Parched grams.</td>
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<td>The guests felt</td>
<td>Exalted and honoured</td>
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Missing Letters.
I. Int__grity                    II. P__ous                      III. App__tite
IV. Extra__agent                 V. Umm__ads                     VI. Merr__ly
VII. Ste__ming

Match the words similar in meaning in List 'A' with 'B' and write the answer in 'C'.

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<td>i. Pious</td>
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<td>ii. Satisfied</td>
<td>Late</td>
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<td>iii. Delay</td>
<td>Dignified</td>
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<td>iv. Distinguished</td>
<td>Noble</td>
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<td>v. Prosperity</td>
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Use the following words in your own sentences.

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<td>Poverty</td>
<td>Prosperity is a great blessing of God.</td>
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<td>Integrity</td>
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<td>His integrity is above board.</td>
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<td>Pious</td>
<td>Dignified</td>
<td>Abou-bin-Adhem was a pious man.</td>
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<td>Refuse</td>
<td>Late</td>
<td>He refused to give me his book.</td>
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<td>Exalted</td>
<td>Honour</td>
<td>The guests felt honoured and exalted.</td>
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<td>Restless</td>
<td>Upset</td>
<td>You are looking upset and restless.</td>
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<td>Appetite</td>
<td>Enhance</td>
<td>This medicine enhances appetite.</td>
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<td>Unhappy</td>
<td>How did this sad incident come about?</td>
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### Extravagant

Don't be extravagant as it is a bad habit.

### Parched grams

The servant brought parched grams for the guests.

### Properties

Don't snatch the properties of the poor, otherwise God will punish you.

### Rights

Don't snatch the rights of others, otherwise God will punish you.

### Ummayads

Some of Ummayads went astray from the right path.

### Distinguished

William Shakespeare is a distinguished playwright of English Literature.

### Teachings

A Muslim never forgets the teachings of the Holy Prophet (SAW).

### Fire

Don't set the forest on fire.

### Poor

Ali is a poor boy.

### Belong to

He belonged to rich family.

### Wise

She took a wise decision to help him.

### Nation

Brave men are the true wealth of a nation.

### True

He is a true Muslim.

### Personality

Quaid-e-Azam had a great personality.

### Characteristics

Truth and virtue are good characteristics.

### Merry making

People spend their life in merry making these days.

### Answers

**M.C.Qs.**

1. a  
2. c  
3. b  
4. b  
5. a

**Fill in the blanks.**

1. generous  
2. Prominent  
3. serve  
4. Hazrat Umer Bin Abdul Aziz(R.A)  
5. pious

**Missing Letters.**

1. e  
2. i  
3. e  
4. v  
5. y  
6. i  
7. a

**Match List 'C.'**

1. Noble  
2. Contented  
3. Late  
4. Dignified  
5. Well-being