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HAPPY PRINCE

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1. Why do the courtiers call the prince 'The Happy Prince'?
- Q. Is he really happy? What does he see all around him?

He was a prince when he was alive. Being a prince he never knew sorrow & suffering. So, the courtiers called him 'Happy Prince'. But he wasn't happy in real sense as his heart could feel the misery of needy people. He saw the miserable conditions of the people around him.

2. The seamstress was tired due to overwork. She was so poor that she could not buy oranges for her little sick son. Her son was thirsty. The Happy Prince saw the poor lady & her son. He felt pity for them. So he sent a ruby for her. The Swallow came to poor woman's house & laid the

subje on the table beside her. The ~~bird~~ bird fanned the boy's forehead with wings & flew back to the Happy prince.

3. The playwright was very poor. He was incapable of buying food & fire-wood. The ~~prince~~ prince sent sapphire for the playwright so that he could finish a play for the ~~the~~ director of the theatre in time. The prince sent his second sapphire to a poor match girl. Her matches had fallen in the gutter. She was afraid her father ~~would~~ would beat her for this loss. So, she was helped by Prince by sending the Sapphire.

5. At first, the swallow was willing to go to Egypt just after discharging his duty properly. But when he saw Prince's activities of charity & kindness he got impressed. On the other hand now the Happy Prince had become totally blind due to the deeds of charity. In this condition, he could not leave the Prince helpless. He left the idea of going to Egypt & decided to serve the Prince.

4. The swallow saw all categories of people. He found the rich making merry in their ~~best~~ beautiful houses & beggars begging & sitting at the gates. He also saw a group of wandering children who were poverty stricken.

6. What are the precious things mentioned in the story? Why are they precious.

The leaden heart of the Happy Prince & the dead Swallow are the two precious things mentioned in the story. They are precious as they did various deeds for the welfare of people & sacrificed their lives for the sake of ~~the~~ others.