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Exercise

① Given below are some emotions that Kezia felt. Match the emotions in column A with items in column B.

Ans:

A

(1) Fear of
terror

→ (iii) Father comes home
(iv) speaking to Father
(v) going to bed when
alone at home.
(vii) Father stretched
out on the sofa
snoring.

(2) Glad sense of
relief

→ (i) Father comes into
her room to give her a
goodbye kiss.
(ii) noise of the
carriage grows
fainter.

(3) a 'Funny' Feeling,
perhaps of
understanding

→ (vi) Father
comforts her
and falls asleep.

II (1) Why was Kezia afraid of her
Father?

Ans: Kezia was afraid of her father
because he was extremely strict and
commanding. He never played with

her. He used to give her a terrifying look over his spectacles.

(2) Who were the people in Kezia's family?

Ans: Kezia's family comprised her Father, mother, grandmother & herself.

(3) What was Kezia's father's routine (i) before going to his office?

(ii) after coming back from his office?

(iii) on Sunday's?

Ans: (i) Before going to office, Kezia's father would come to Kezia's room and give her a goodbye kiss.

(ii) After coming back from his office, he would order his tea to be brought to the drawing room & would ask his mother to get his papers & slippers. He would then order Kezia to take off his boots.

(iii) On Sunday's, he would stretch out on the sofa with his handkerchief on his face, his feet on one of the best cushions, sleep and eno.

(4) In what ways did Kezia's grandmother encourage her to get to know

Father better?

Ans: Kerzia's grandmother would encourage her to know her father better by asking her to go down to the drawing room and have a nice talk with her father. She also asked Kerzia to stitch a pin-cushion out of a beautiful yellow silk piece and give it to her father as a birthday present.