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### Guided Reading Comprehension – Topaz Band 13 – The Three Princes

Pages 2 & 5: What event resulted in Dad needing to know the boys' names?

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Pages 6 & 7: The author uses a number of similes on this page. Choose 3 and write them below.

Simile 1

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Simile 2

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Simile 3

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Pages 8 & 9: Which phrase tells us that the princes have fallen in love with Princess Halima?

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Pages 10 and 11: What problem is Princess Halima facing? Choose **one answer** that **best** describes her problem.

- ☐ She is spoilt for choice, as all the princes want to marry her.
- ☐ She would like to marry all three of them.
- ☐ It is her birthday and she doesn't want to think about marriage.
- ☐ She cannot choose which brother she wants to marry as she cannot tell them apart.

Page 16: What is Raman worried about on this page? How do you know?

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Page 17: What special feature does Salman's gift have?

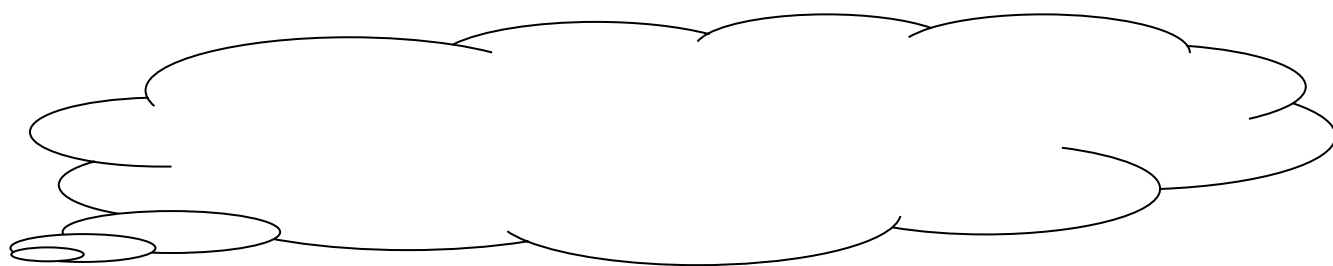
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Page 19: *"Raman and Salman smiled at each other over Emir's head."*

What are Raman and Salman thinking? Write a thought they are having in the thought bubble below.



Pages 24 & 25: What problem do the princes have now?

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Pages 26 & 27: Who did each prince exchange their rings with?

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Pages 26 & 27: In what ways is Emir better than his brothers?

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Pages 28 & 29: Do you think that Princess Halima choose the right prince?  
Explain your answer, linking your reasons to the ideas in the story.

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