

M.sc Class 4

Chapter-2 Pleasant Truth (Page: 9, 10)

A. Answer the following:

1. Who was the goddess of wealth?

Ans. Laxmi Devi was the goddess of wealth.

2. Who was the goddess of poverty?

Ans. Jyeshtha Devi was the goddess of poverty.

3 Why was the merchant worried?

Ans. The merchant was worried as to how to please both of them, without making either of the goddesses angry.

4. What was the dispute between the goddesses?

Ans. "Who was more beautiful"

was the dispute between the goddesses.

5. What was the merchant's answer to the goddesses?

Ans. The merchant answered:

“O Lakshmi Devi, no doubt you are more beautiful than any other women on earth or heaven when you enter a house, but O Jyeshtha Devi, your grace and elegance is matchless when you depart from a house.”

6. Were the goddesses pleased with the merchant's answer?

Ans. Yes both the goddesses were pleased with the merchant's answer and they blessed him.

B. Fill in the blanks:

1. The goddesses were Strolling in the garden.
2. The goddesses had an argument as to who was more beautiful.
3. The goddesses disclosed their identity.
4. Lakshmi Devi is the goddess of wealth.
5. Jyeshtha Devi is the goddess of poverty

C. Write True or False.

1. Both the goddesses were beautiful. **True**
2. A farmer happened to pass by them. **False**
3. The merchant was very tactful. **True**
4. The goddesses blessed the merchant. **True**
5. The merchant lost all his wealth. **False**
