

## English (New Book) - ICOM Part 1 English Chapter 12 Short Questions Preparation

Q1. Why did Della feel pride in the beauty of her hair?

**Ans 1:** Della had beautiful brown hair. It reached below her knees. They shone like a brown waterfall. She felt pride in the beauty of her hair.

Q2. How beautiful was the gold watch chain.

**Ans 1:** The gold watch chain was made of rich and pure material it was very valuable and antique. It was very beautiful.

Q3. What was the wisdom in selling the most valuable things.

**Ans 1:** Love begets love. It does not count profit or loss. So there lies every wisdom in selling the most precious thing for the sake of pleasing one's beloved or to win love of the people.

Q4. Why were the gifts of Jim and Della useless for them?

**Ans 1:** Jim bought a costly comb for her wife Della as a Christmas gift by selling his watch. At the same time, Della had sold her hair to buy a gold chain for Jim. In this way, Jim's gift for Della and Della's gift for Jim proved to be useless for both of them.

Q5. Why did Jim sell the gold watch.

**Ans 1:** Since Jim loved Della from the core of his heart. He wanted to buy a gift for Della on Christmas. Since he had no money, therefore, he sold his watch to buy a gift for Della.

Q6. Why did Jim and Della want to present the gifts to each other.

**Ans 1:** Della and Jim had great love for each other. They could not think of celebrating Christmas without presenting the gifts. Therefore, they wanted to exchange the gifts.

Q7. What did Della tell Jim about her love for him.

**Ans 1:** Della told Jim that maybe the hairs on her head could be counted but no one could ever count her regards for Jim.

Q8. What did Della do after counting her savings.

**Ans 1:** After counting her savings she did nothing but fall on the bed and cry.

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Q9. What did Della tell Jim about the growth of her hair.

**Ans 1:** Della told Jim that her hair grow very fast.

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Q10. How much did Della save for Christmas.

**Ans 1:** Della saved money cent by cent, in her careful buying of meat and other food. Thus, she was able to save one doller and eighty seven cents in three months.

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