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My name is Duncan. I am King of Scotland. My army has been fighting off a rebel force. My generals' names were Banquo and Macbeth. Macbeth was also my cousin.

After a great battle I heard of how hard Macbeth and Banquo had fought. I also heard that the Thane of Cawdor was a traitor.

I had him killed. I gave his title and his lands to Macbeth.

I decided to visit Macbeth at his castle. My sons Malcolm and Donalbain and some good Lords went with me.

It was a beautiful place. The air was good. Apparently house martins nested in the turrets of the castle. Macbeth and his wife gave me a warm welcome. Later I sent Lady Macbeth a present of a diamond.

I went to bed after a good supper. My grooms as usual, stayed in my room to guard me.

I woke later to find Macbeth standing over me with a dagger in his hand. As it went into my heart I heard my grooms call out "*Murder!*" "*Amen!*" and "*Bless us!*". It was the last thing I knew.



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Questions

1. What did the crowned child tell Macbeth?
2. *“None of _____ shall
_____ Macbeth”*
3. Why did you make Macbeth Thane of Cawdor?
4. How did Lady Macduff feel after her husband went to England?
5. Where was Macduff on the night of your death and what was the weather like?
6. Who said:
*“These ministers of _____ tell us
_____ in little things. To _____ us
into _____ of _____ consequence”.*