

# 1. A LETTER TO GOD

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1. What did Lencho hope for?

Ans:- Lencho realised his Crop needed some water. So, he hoped for a downpour or atleast a shower.

2. Why did Lencho say the raindrops were like 'new coins'?

Ans:- Lencho's field was dry, exactly at the time, it started raining, each drop was of great value. So Lencho said the raindrops were like new coins.

3. How did the rain change? What happen to Lencho's field?

Ans:- The rain changed into a harmful hailstorm the field become white. It destroyed the field completely.

4. What was Lencho's feelings when the stopped?

Ans:- Lencho's heart was full of sorrow. He felt that a plague of locusts would n't have harmed his crop so badly.

5. Who (or) What did Lencho have faith in? What did he do?

Ans:- Lencho had full faith in God. He wrote a letter to God. He requested God to send some money.



6. Who read the letter?

Ans:- The Post man and Post master read the letter.

7. What did the Postmaster do then?

Ans:- The postmaster collected money from Employees and friends. He himself gave a part of his salary and sent it to Lencho.

8. Was Lencho surprised to find a letter for him?

Ans:- NO.

9. What made him angry?

Ans:- Lencho asked hundred pesos. But he found only Seventy pesos in the cover. The Post Office Employee maybe stolen a part of money.

(2.)

1. Who does Lencho have Complete faith in? Which sentence in the story tell you this?

Ans:- Lencho had complete faith in God. The following sentences in the story tell us this.

(a) But in the hearts of all who lived in that solitary house in the middle of the middle of the valley, there was a single hope of help from God.

(b) All through the night Lencho thought only of his one hope. The help of God.



whose eyes as he had been instructed, see everything even what is deep in one's conscience.

(c) "God," he wrote, "If you don't help me, my family and I will go hungry this year."

2. Why does the postmaster send money to Lencho? Why does he sign the letter 'God'?

Ans:- The postmaster understood the financial woes of Lencho. So, he decided to send money to Lencho. However, as Lencho wrote a letter to God, requesting him to send money, the postmaster signed the letter as 'God' as he wished Lencho to believe that God.

3. Did Lencho try to find out who had sent the money? No, him? Why / Why not.

Ans:- No, Lencho did not try to find out who had sent the money to him. This is because he strongly had a faith in 'God' and believed that the money was sent to him by no one else except 'God'.

4. Why does Lencho think have taken the rest of the money? What is the irony in the situation in an unexpected aspect of it. An ironic situation is strange or amusing because it is the opposite of what is expected?



Ans:- Lencho thought that the post Office Employees had taken the rest of the money. The irony in the situation is that the Employees, whom Lencho call "a bunch of Crooks", in fact, Contributed money for Lencho and ~~send~~ it to him.

5. Are there people like Lencho in the real world? what kind of a person would you say he is? you may select appropriate words from the box to answer the [greedy, naive, stupid, ungrateful, selfish, comical, unquestioning].

Ans:- yea yes, a few people are there. They are greedy and selfish.

6. There are two kinds of conflict in the story; between humans and nature and between humans themselves. How are these conflicts illustrated?

Ans:- The conflicts between humans and nature is illustrated by the Lencho's cornfield by hailstorm. Lencho wanted money with the harvest of his crops. However, his aspiration ceased as the hailstorm destroyed his crops.

The conflict between humans themselves is illustrated by Lencho's lack of faith in Post office staff. Though they contributed money for Lencho, the letter called them crooks in his letter to god.



## Tenses

Present tense

Past tense

future tense

Present tense :-

Simple present : తెలుగు, ఇంగ్లీషు  
form :- Sub + V, + Obj

E.x :- I eat food

We play Volley ball

you go school

He draw apple

she sings songs

It moves around

they moves Listen English.

present Continuous : మనం మళ్ళాడే సమయానికి  
జరుగుతు ఉన్నది పని గురించి  
చెప్పేది.

form :- sub + be form + ving + Obj  
is, am, are

I } am

We }  
you } are

He }  
she }  
it } is

they } are

Ex:-

I am going to library  
 We are Listening english  
 you are Eating panipuri  
 He is playing Cricket  
 It is running quickly  
 They are Crying loudly.

present perfect :- ఎప్పుడు : ఎంతవరకు సమయం వరకు  
 క్షణం (Just) ఎంతవరకు

form:- Sub + have/has + V3 + Obj

I  
 We  
 you  
 they } have  
 He  
 she  
 It } has

I have completed my home work  
 We have brought book  
 you have won the game  
 He has paid money  
 She has cooked a dish  
 it has hit the ball  
 they have built a house.



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## Letter Writing;

\* Letters are two types.

(1) formal letters [official letters]

(2) Informal letters [personal letters]

\* There are 6 parts in letter writing.

① Heading.

② Salutation.

③ Body of the letter.

④ Subscription

⑤ Signature

⑥ Super Scription