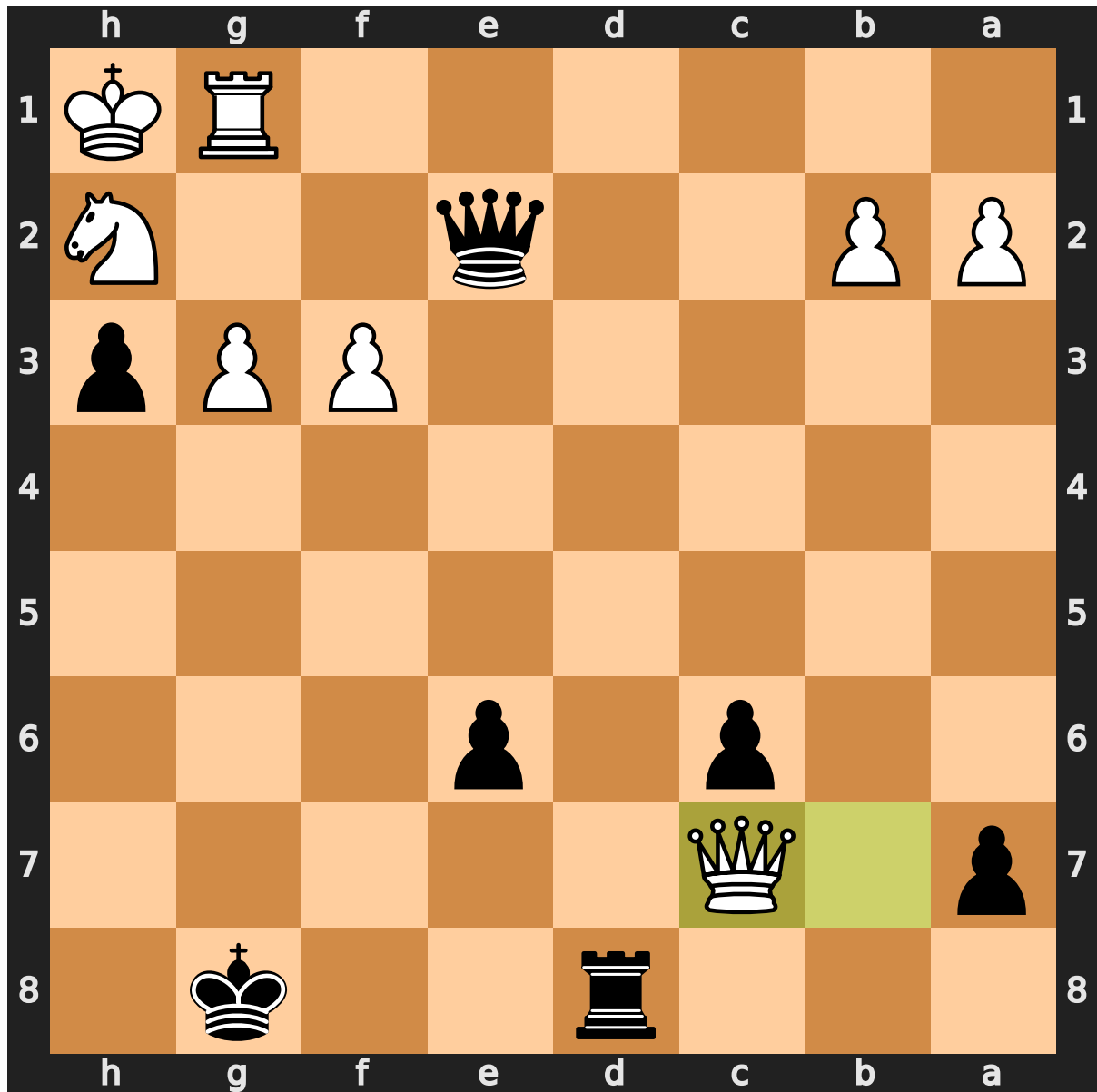


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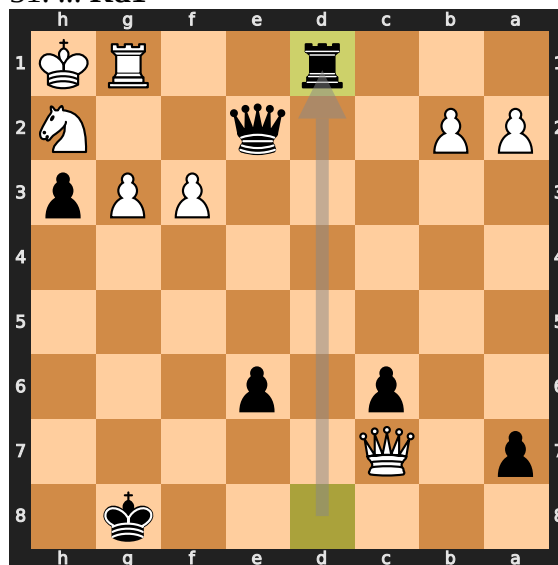
A tactic involving a king with few defenders around it,  
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What is the best move for Black  
after  
31. Qxc7

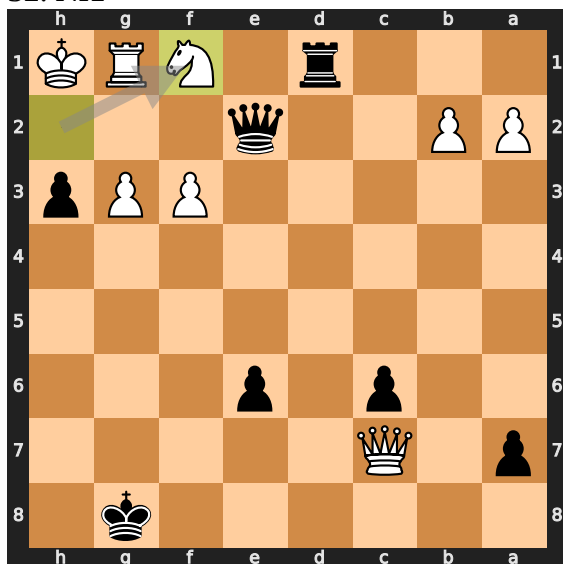


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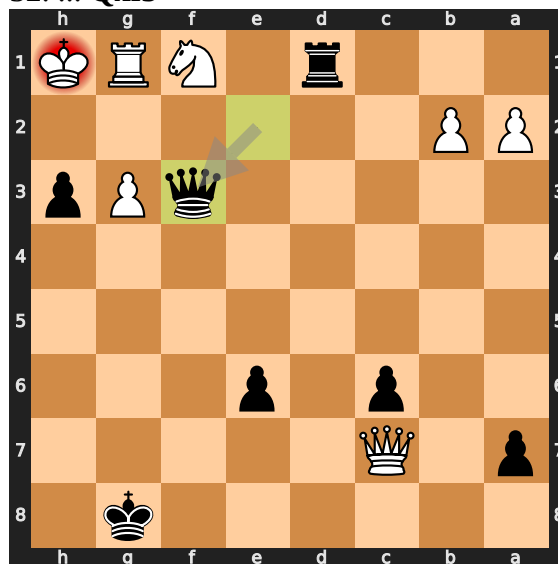
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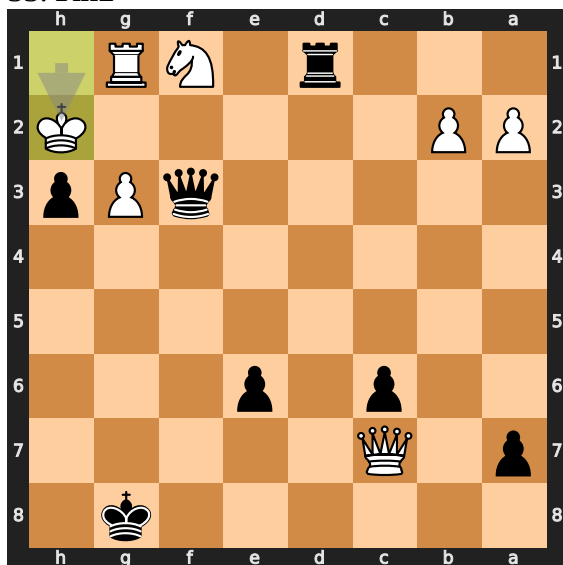
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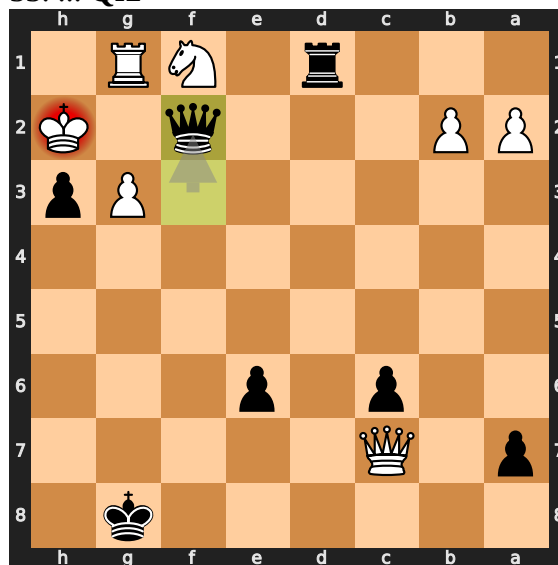
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33. Kh2

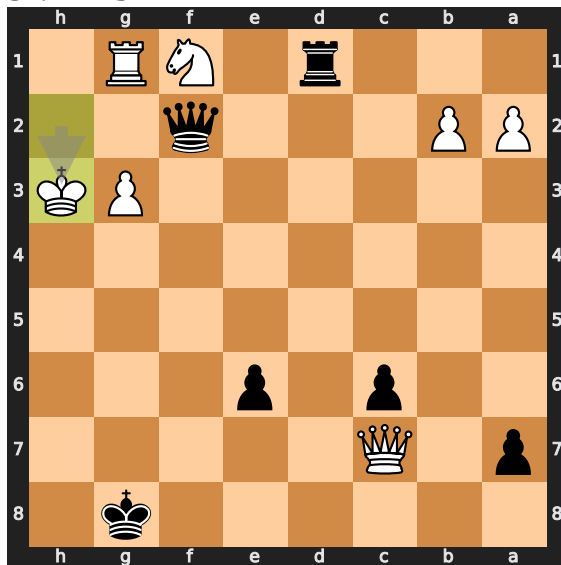


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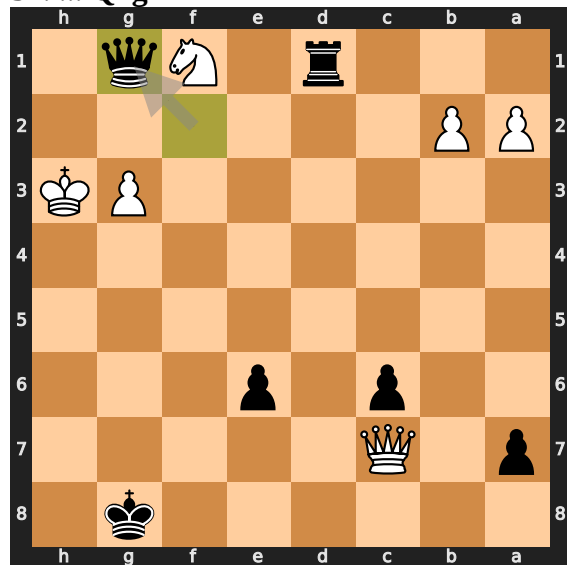


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34. Kxh3



34. ... Qxg1



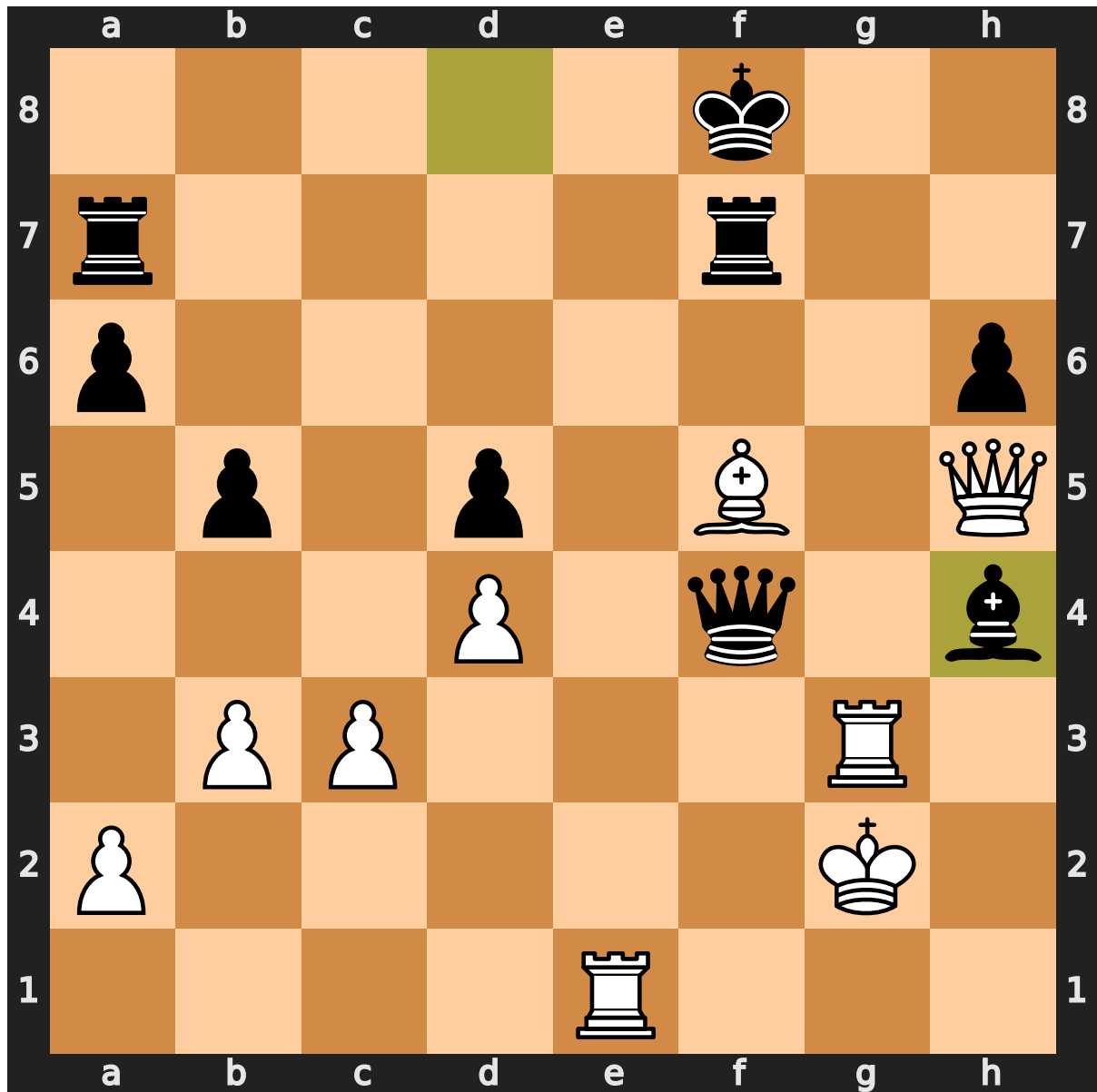
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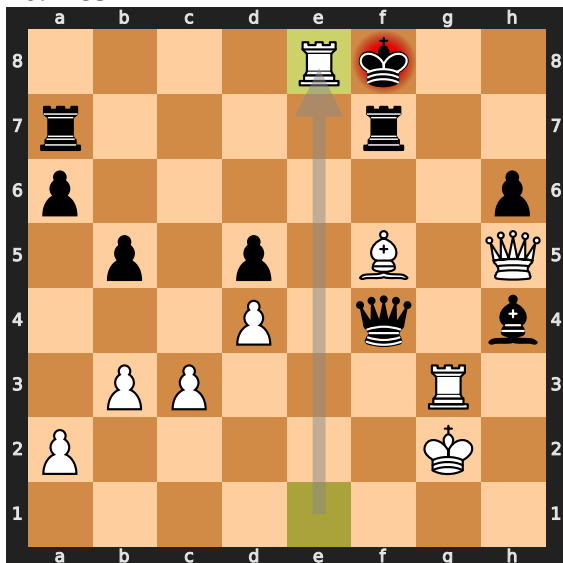
A tactic involving a king with few defenders around it,  
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What is the best move for White  
after  
39. ... Bb4

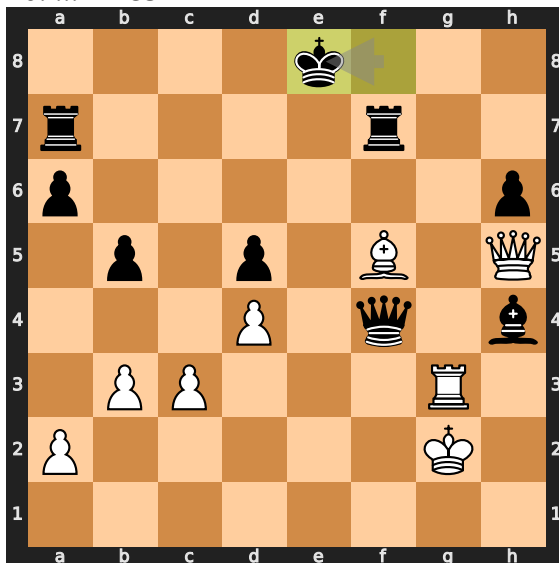


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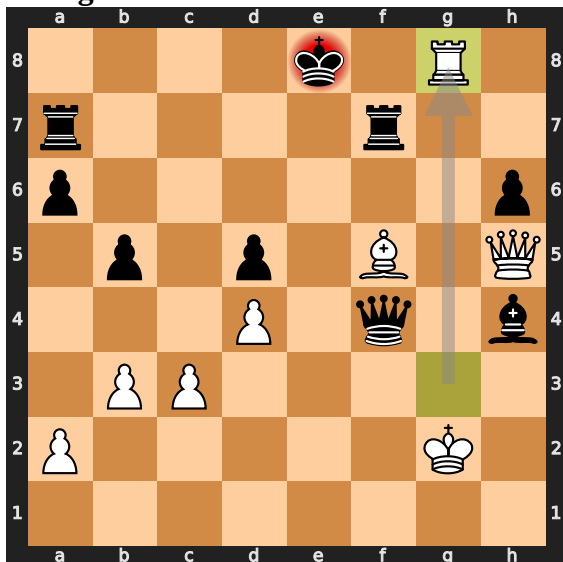
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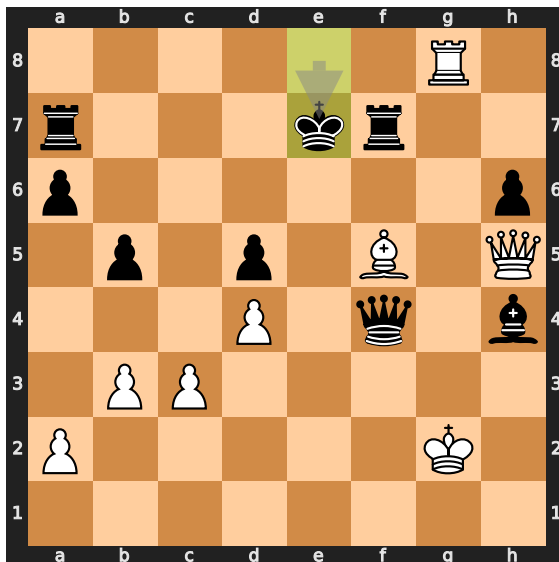
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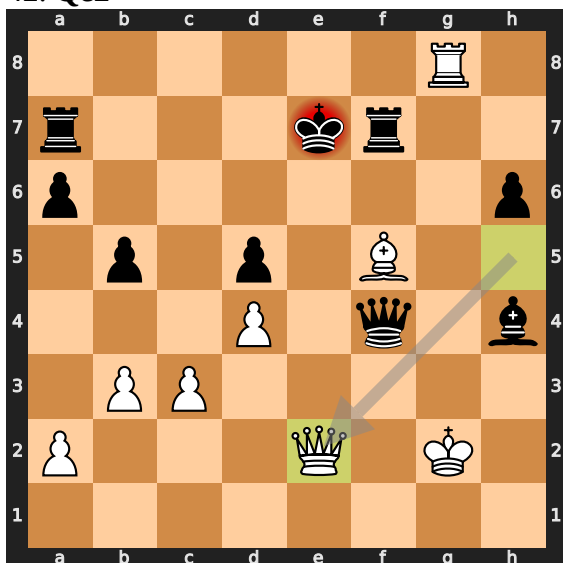
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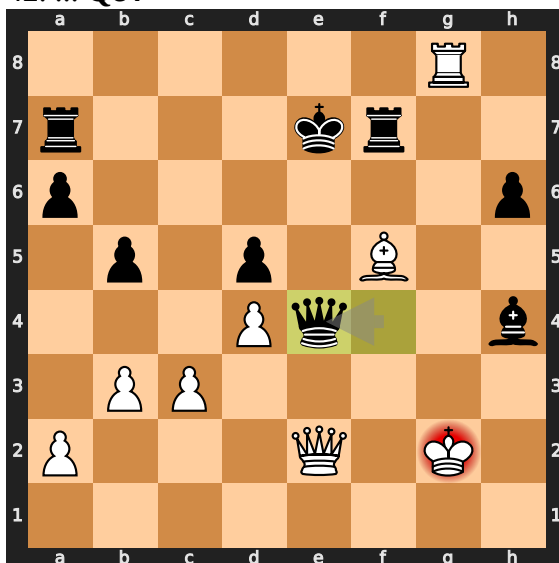
41. ... Ke7



42. Qe2+

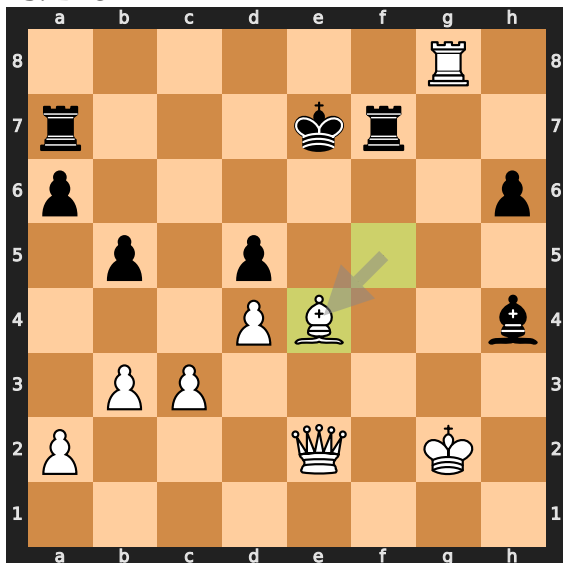


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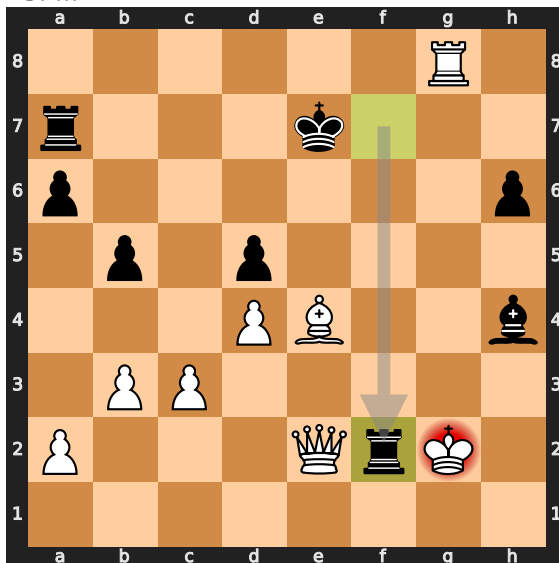


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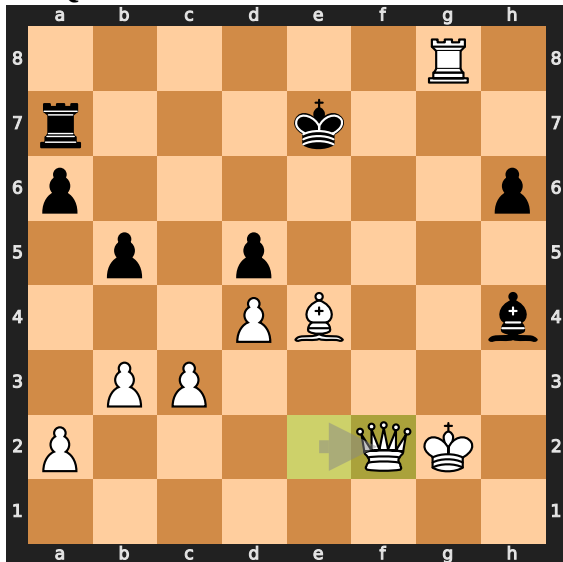
43. Bxe4



43. ... Rf2+



44. Qxf2



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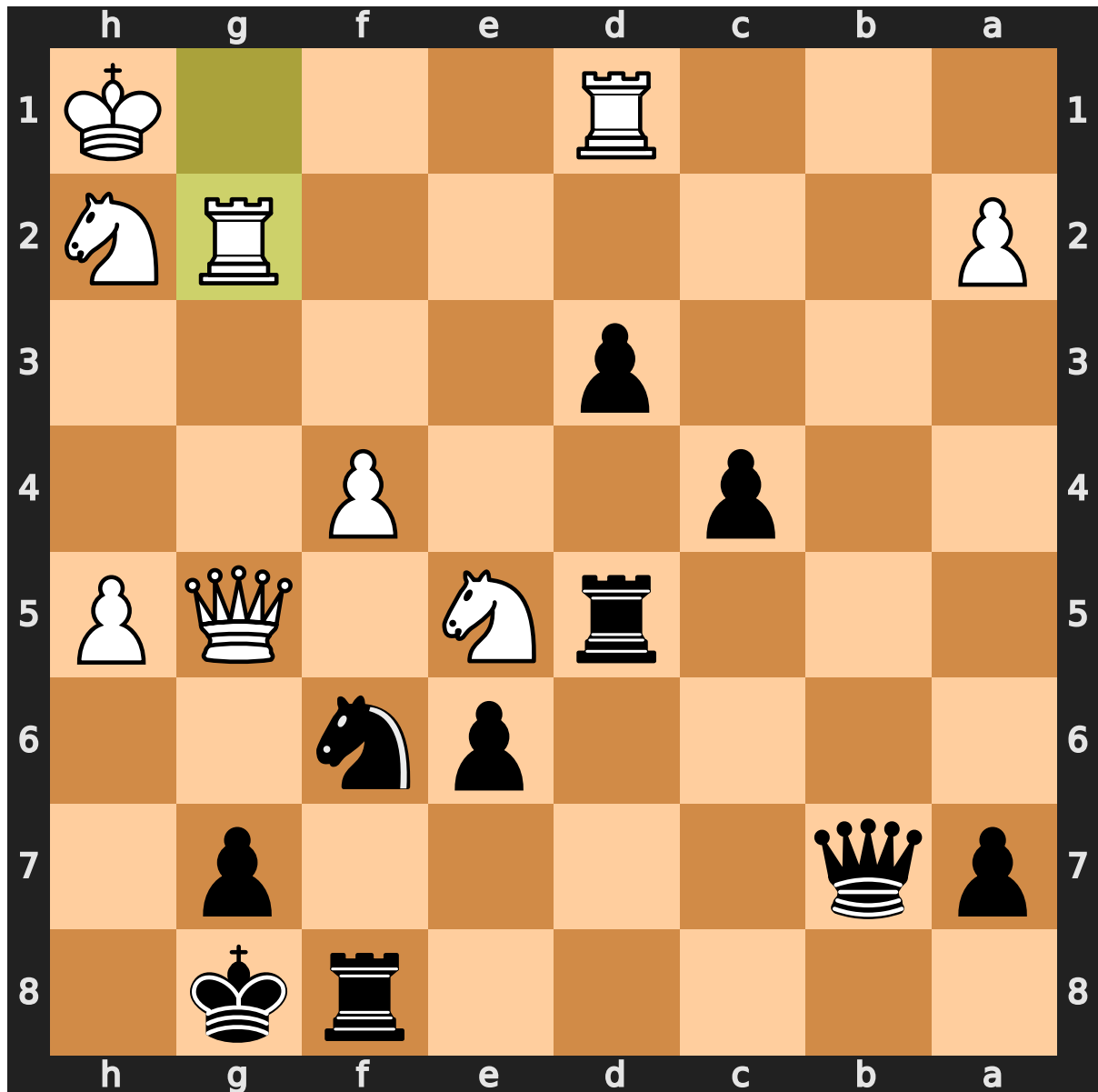


### Lichess Puzzles - Exposed king [3/10]

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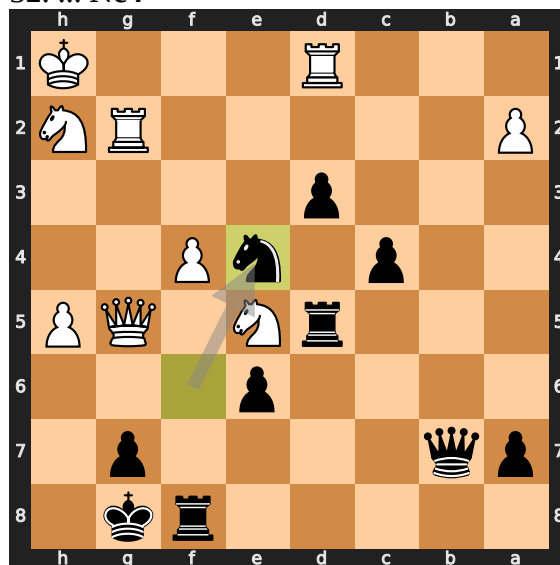
A tactic involving a king with few defenders around it, often leading to checkmate.

What is the best move for Black after  
32. Rg2

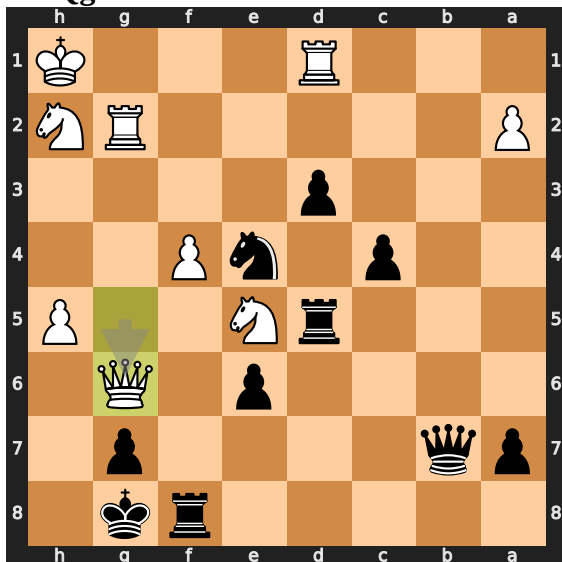


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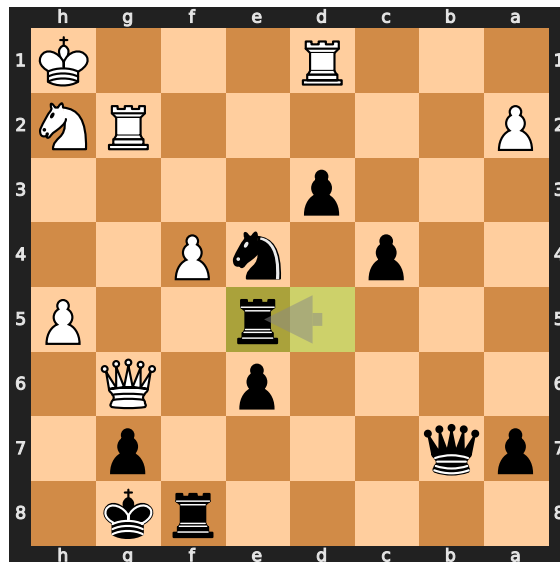
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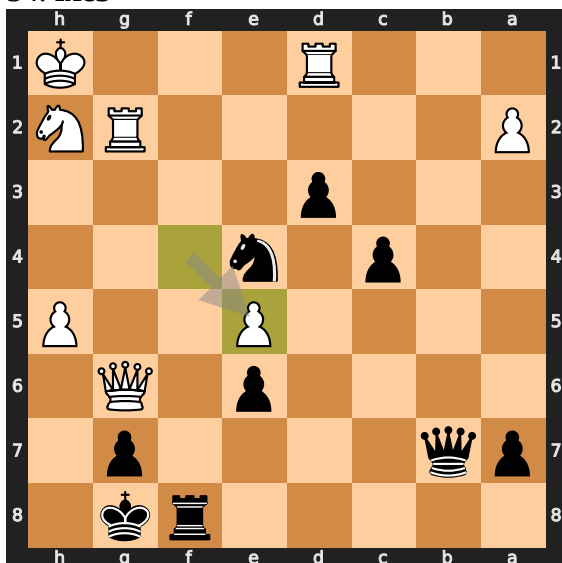
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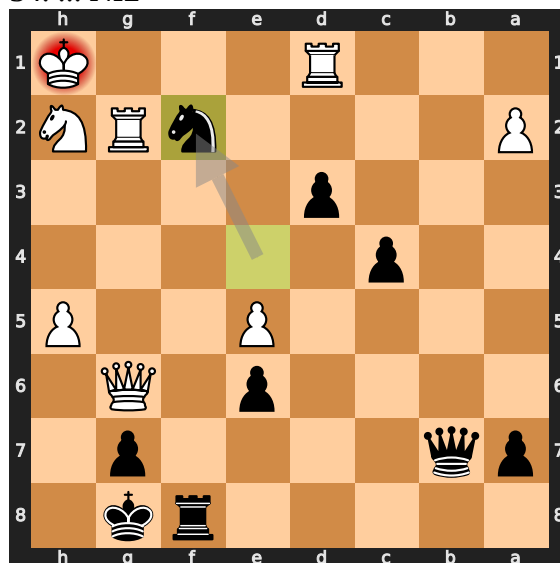
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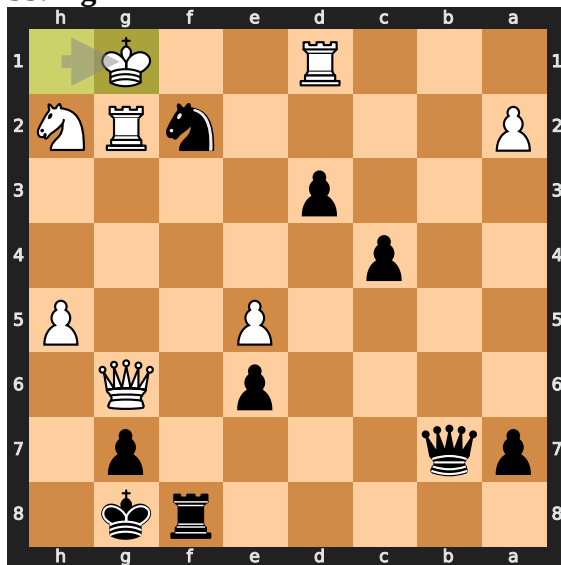


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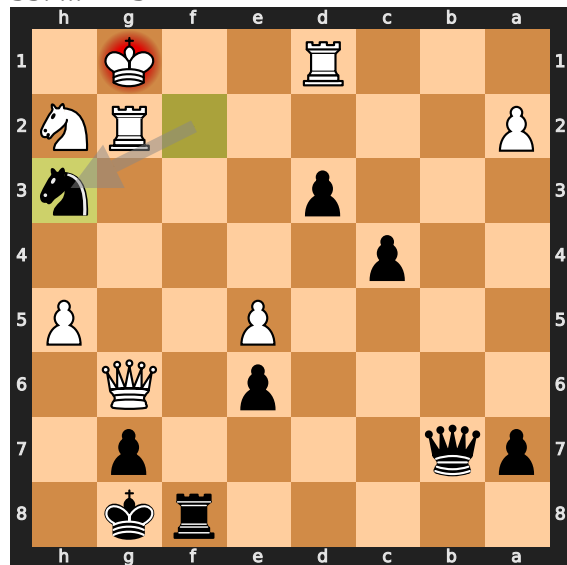


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35. **Kg1**



35. ... **Nh3+**



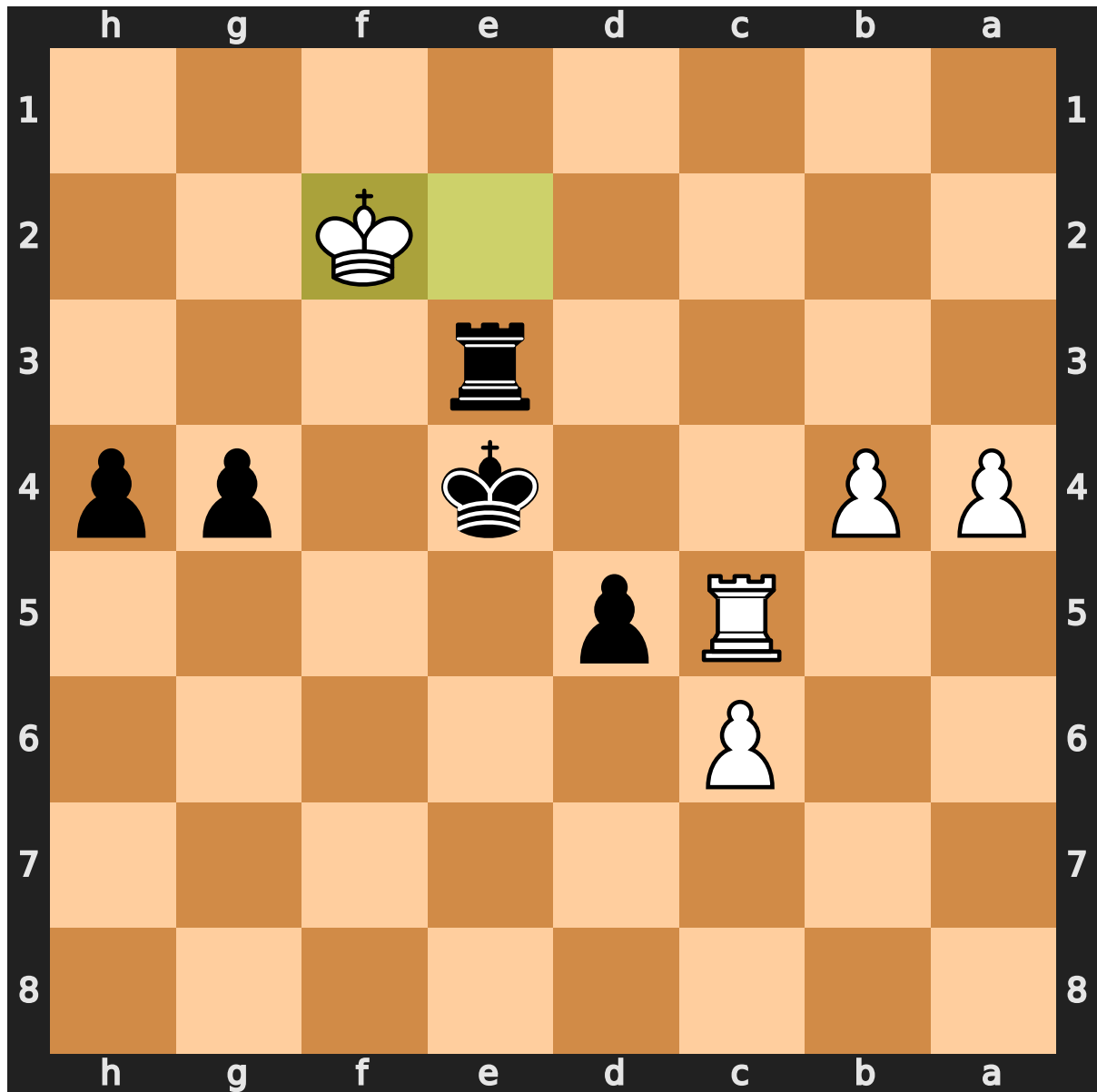
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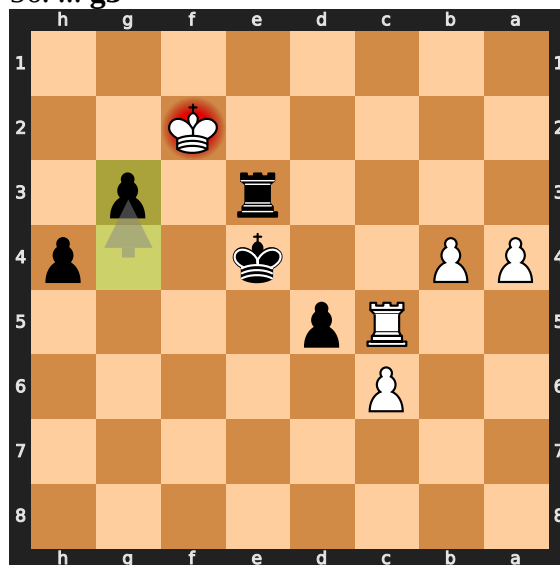
A tactic involving a king with few defenders around it, often leading to checkmate.

What is the best move for Black  
after  
56. Kf2

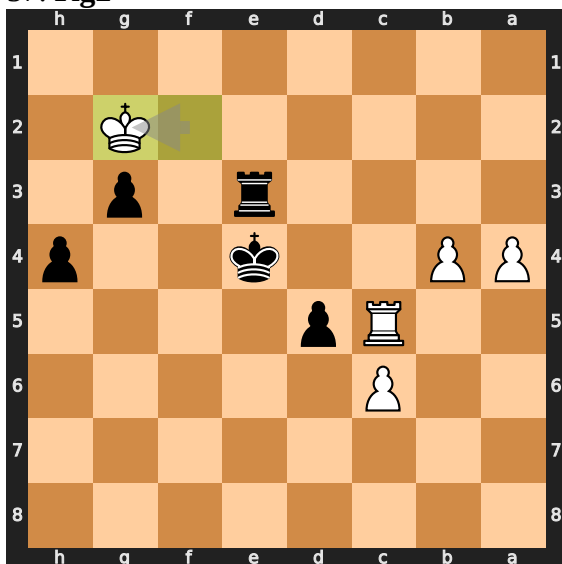


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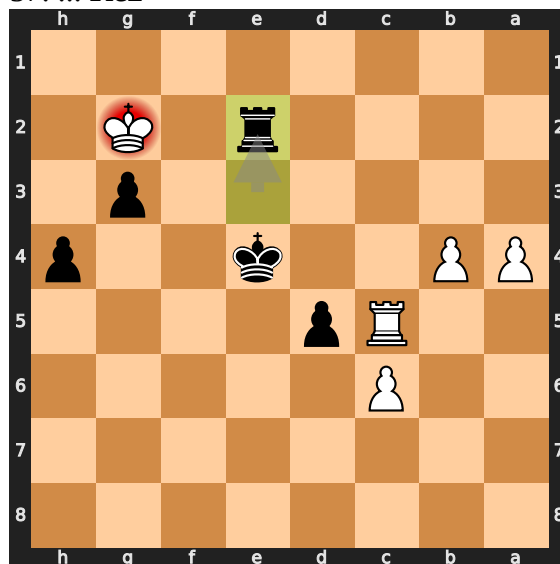
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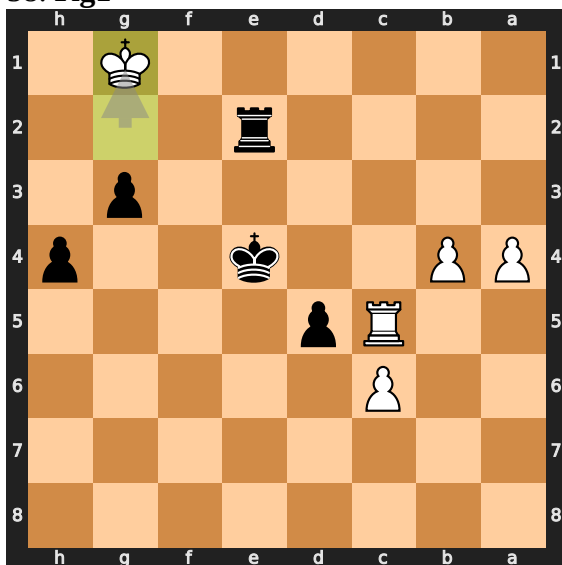
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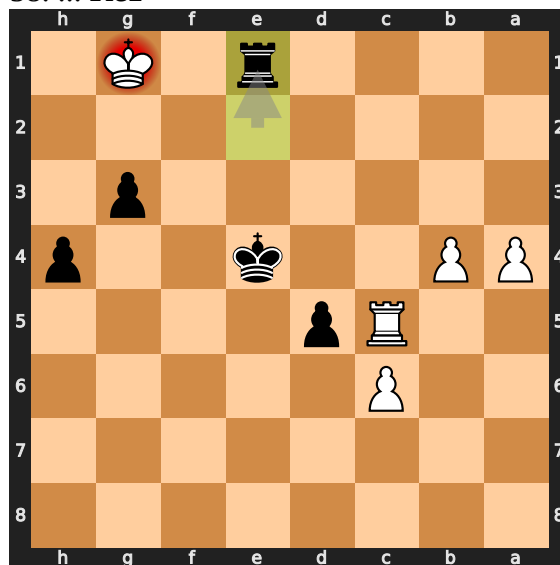
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58. Kg1



58. ... Re1+

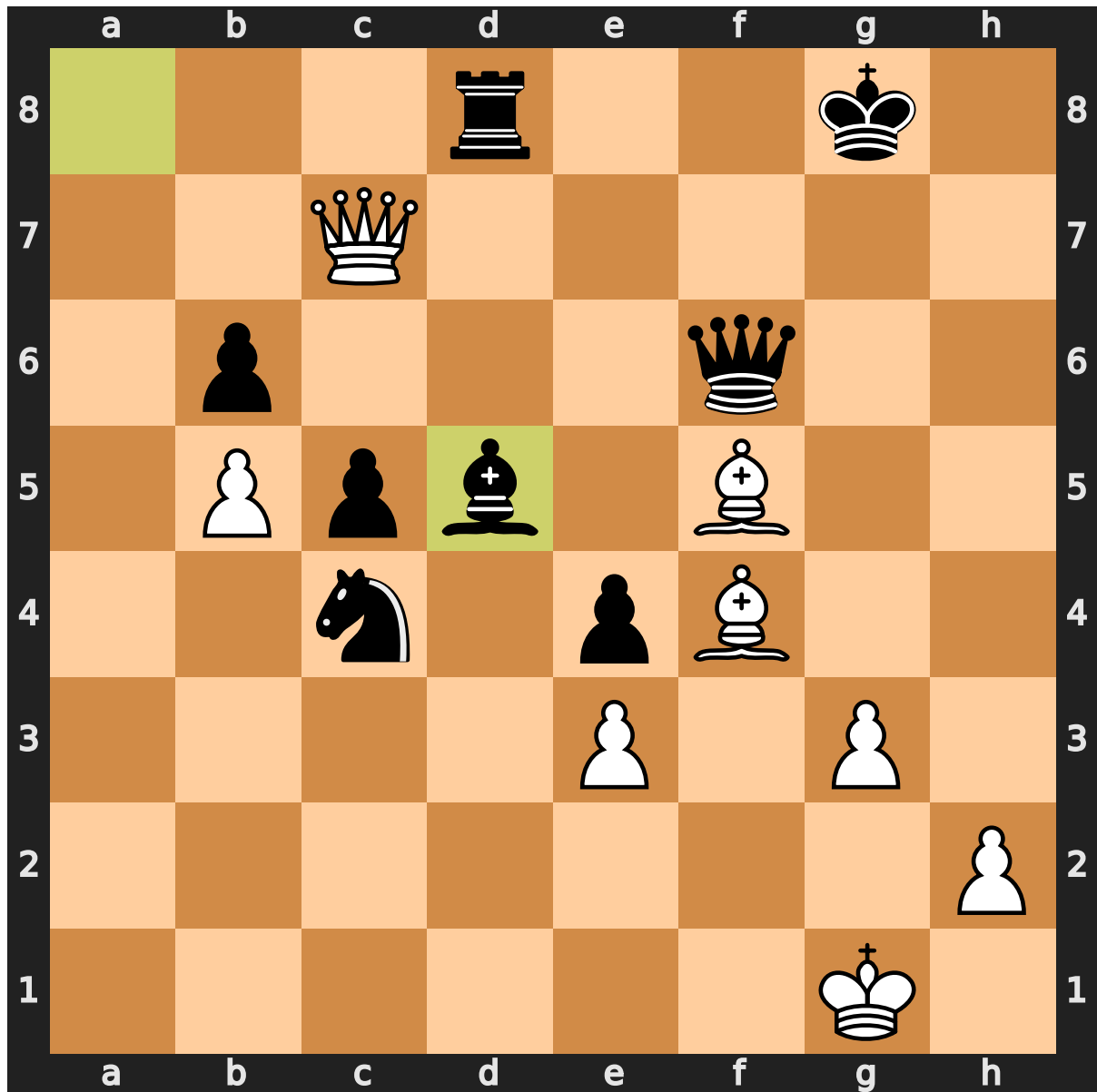


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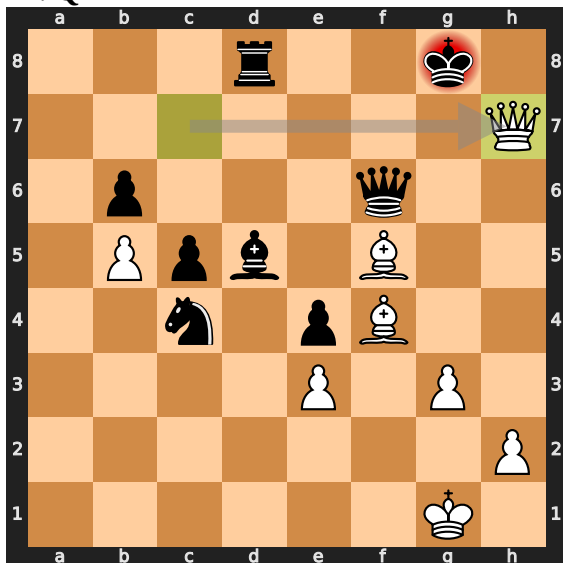
A tactic involving a king with few defenders around it, often leading to checkmate.

What is the best move for White after  
40. ... Bxd5

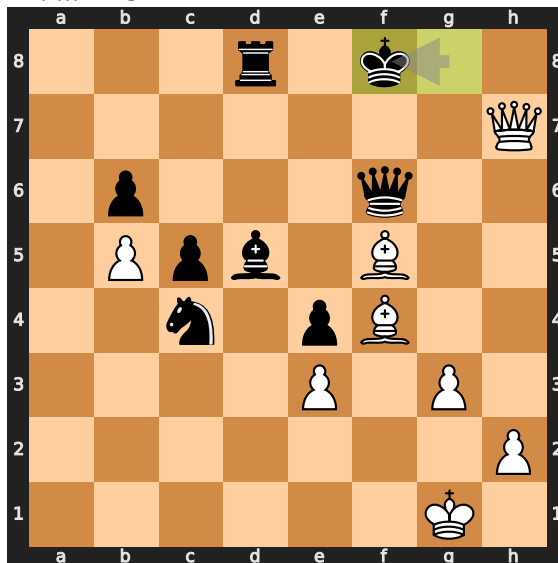


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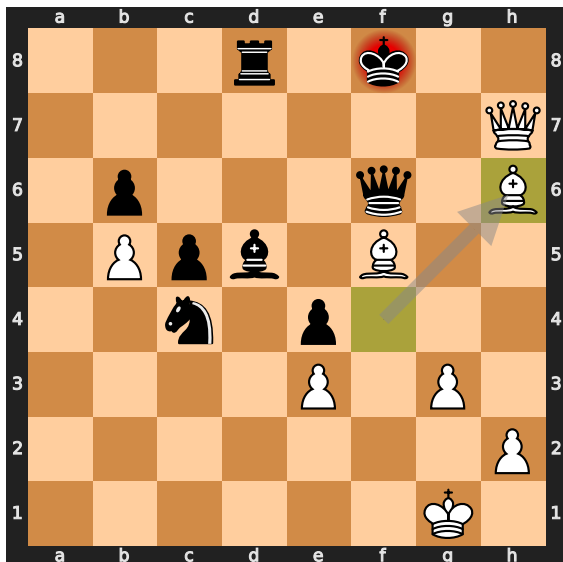
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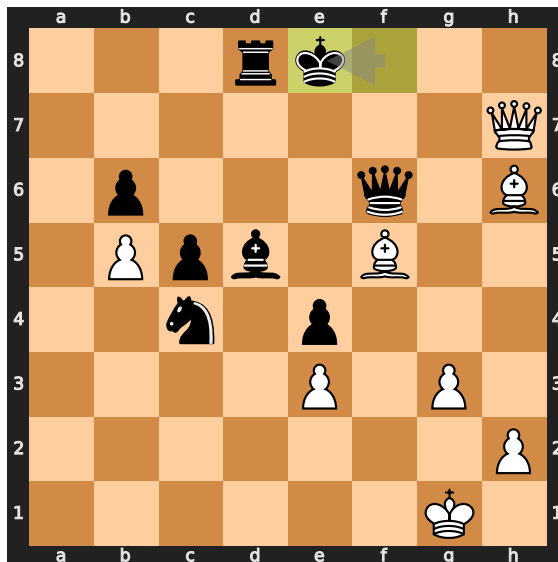
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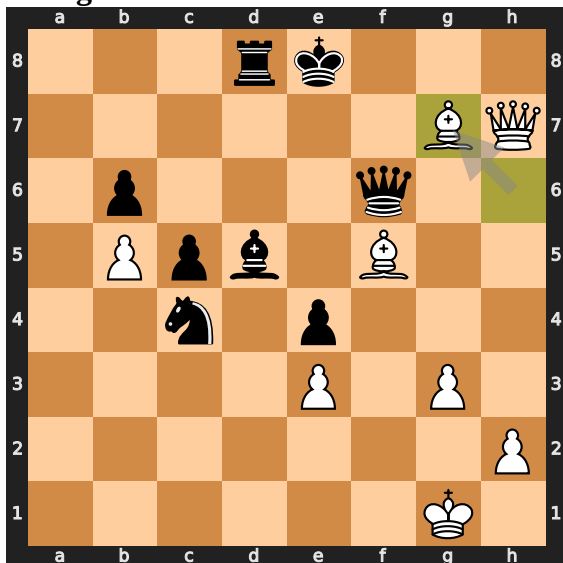
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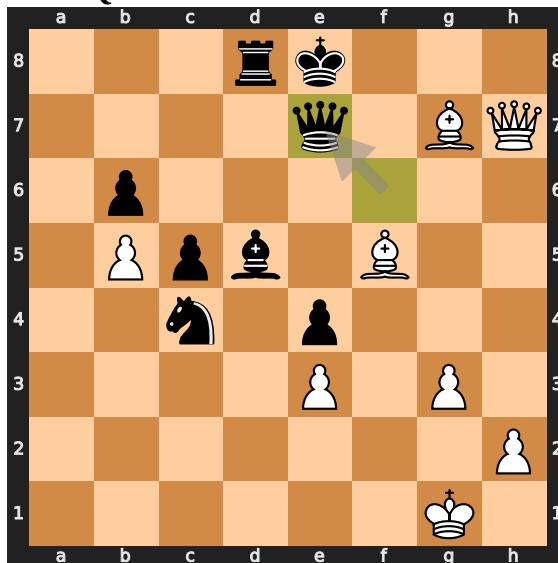
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43. Bg7



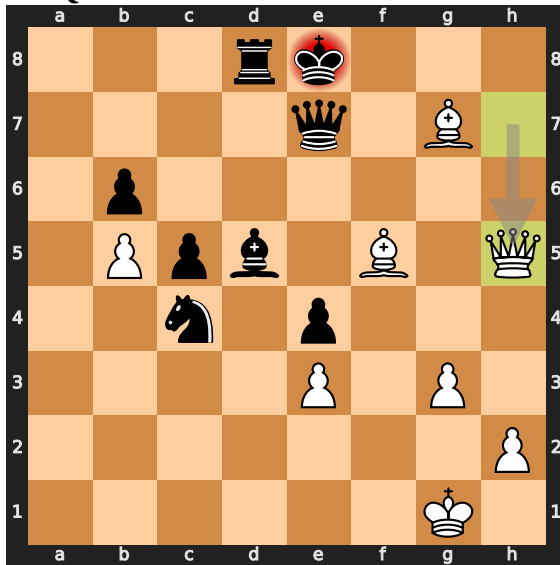
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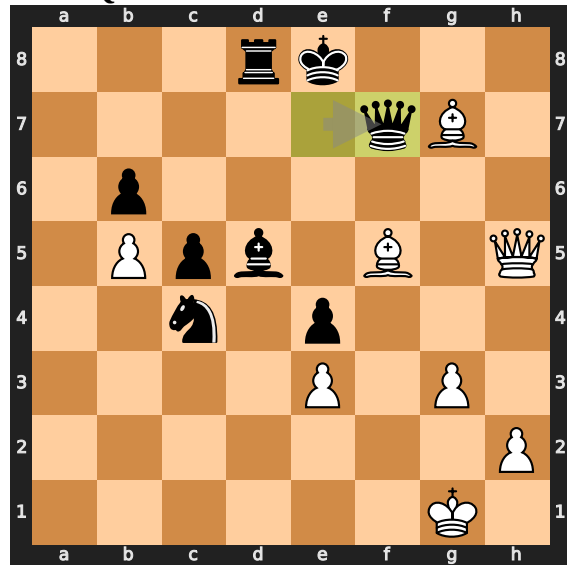


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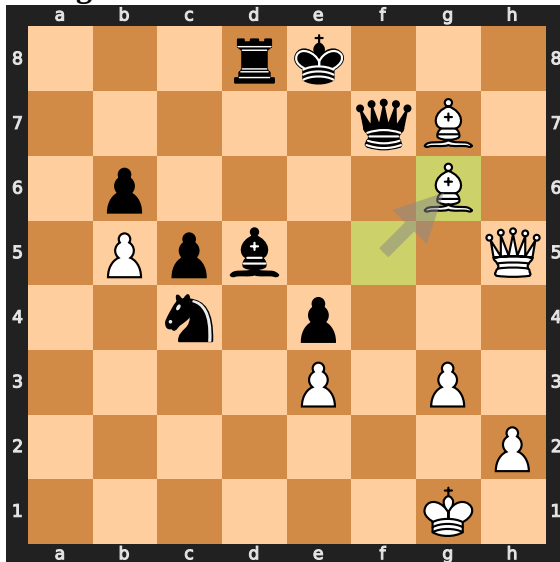
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44. ... Qf7



45. Bg6



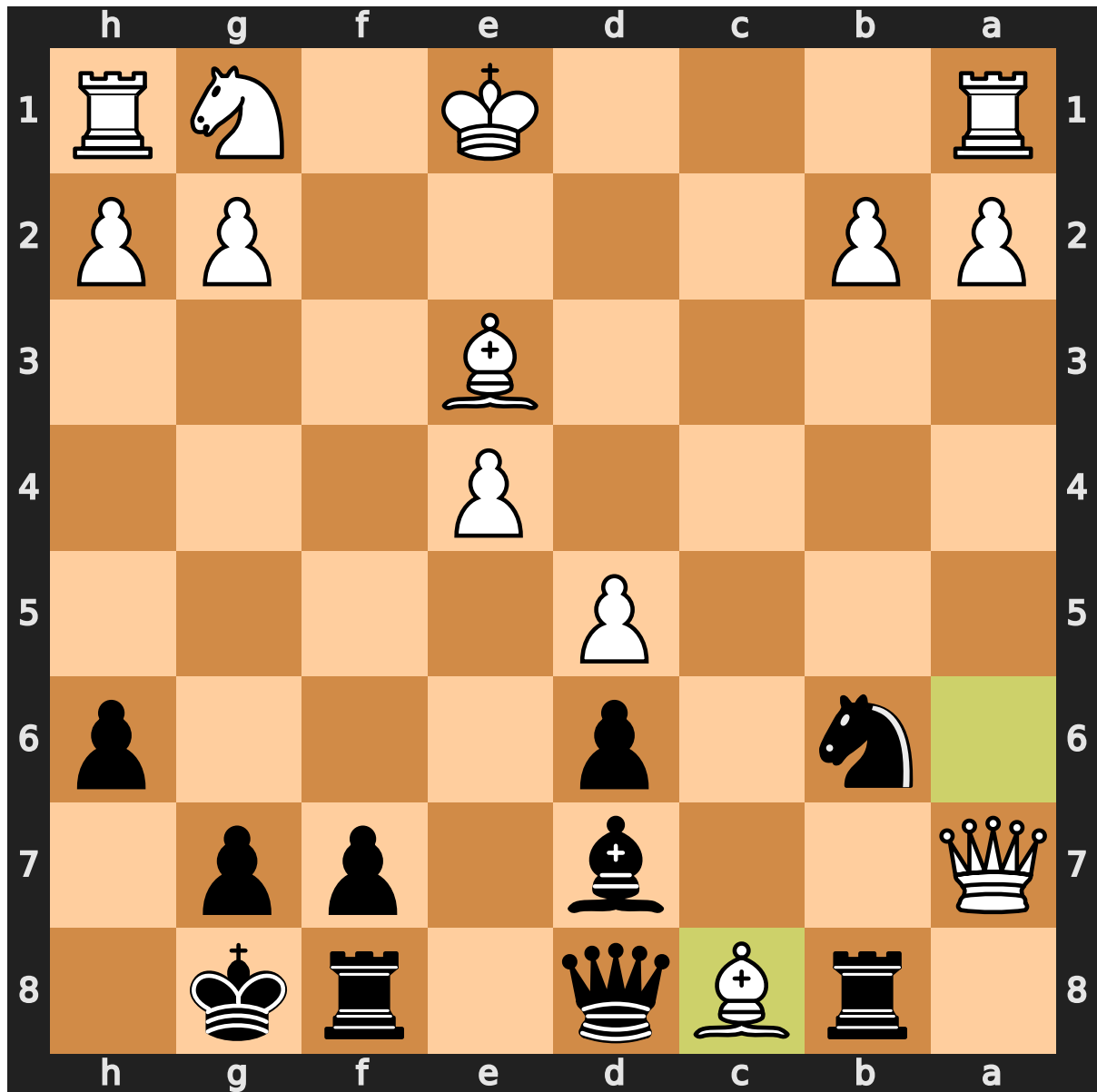
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### Lichess Puzzles - Exposed king [6/10]

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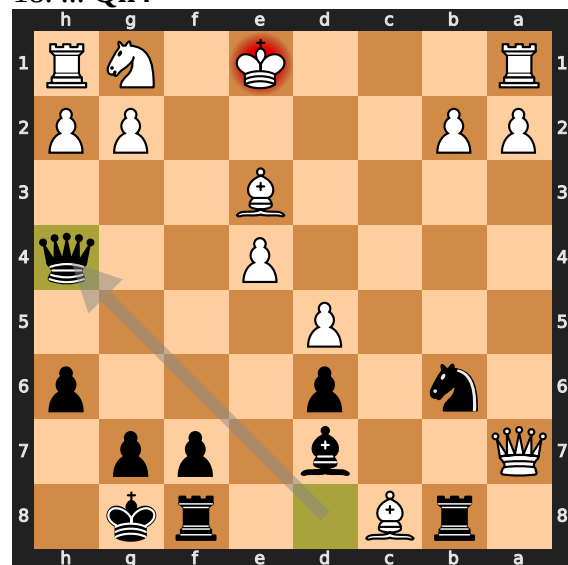
A tactic involving a king with few defenders around it, often leading to checkmate.

What is the best move for Black after  
18. Bxc8

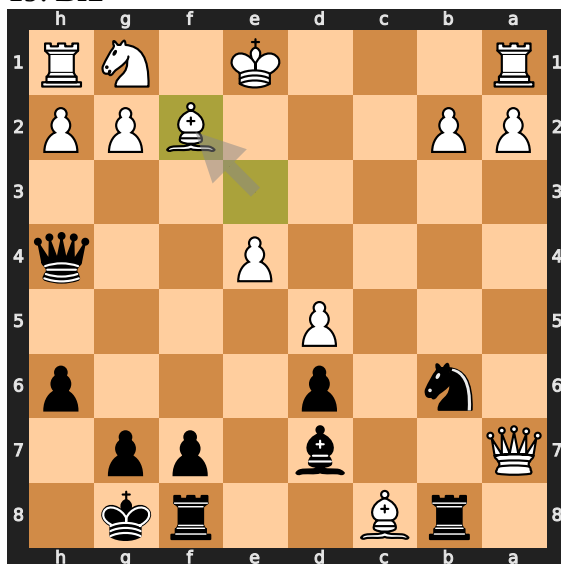


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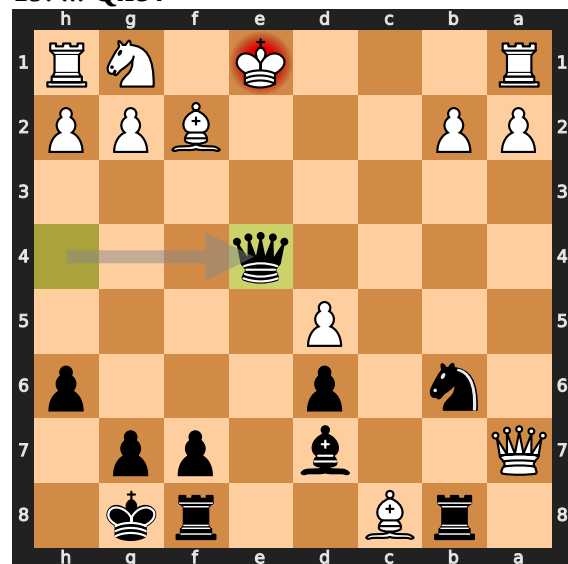
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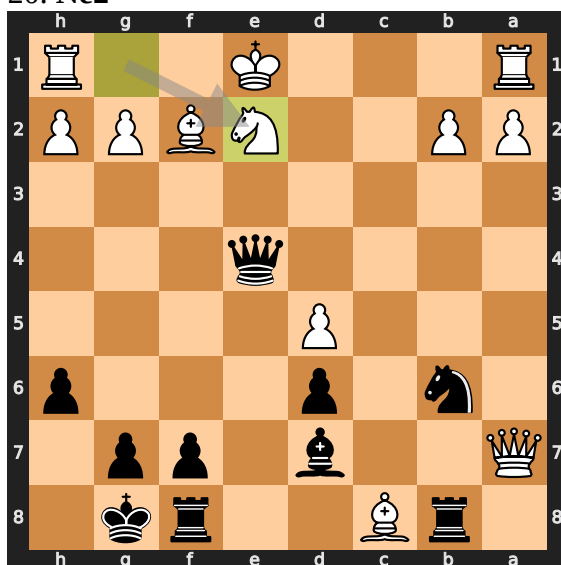
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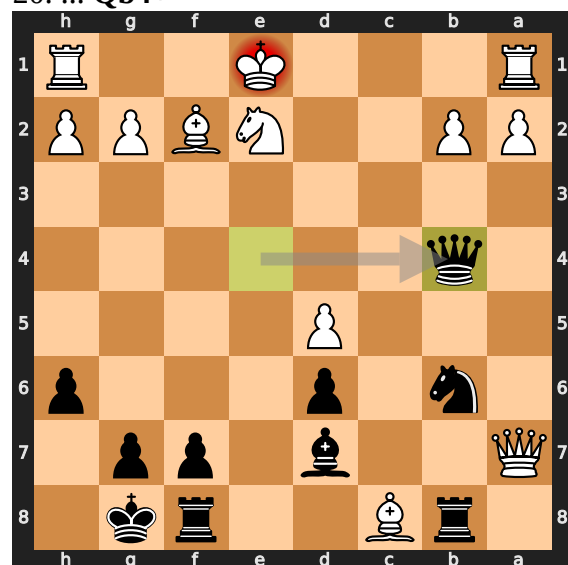
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20. ... **Qb4+**

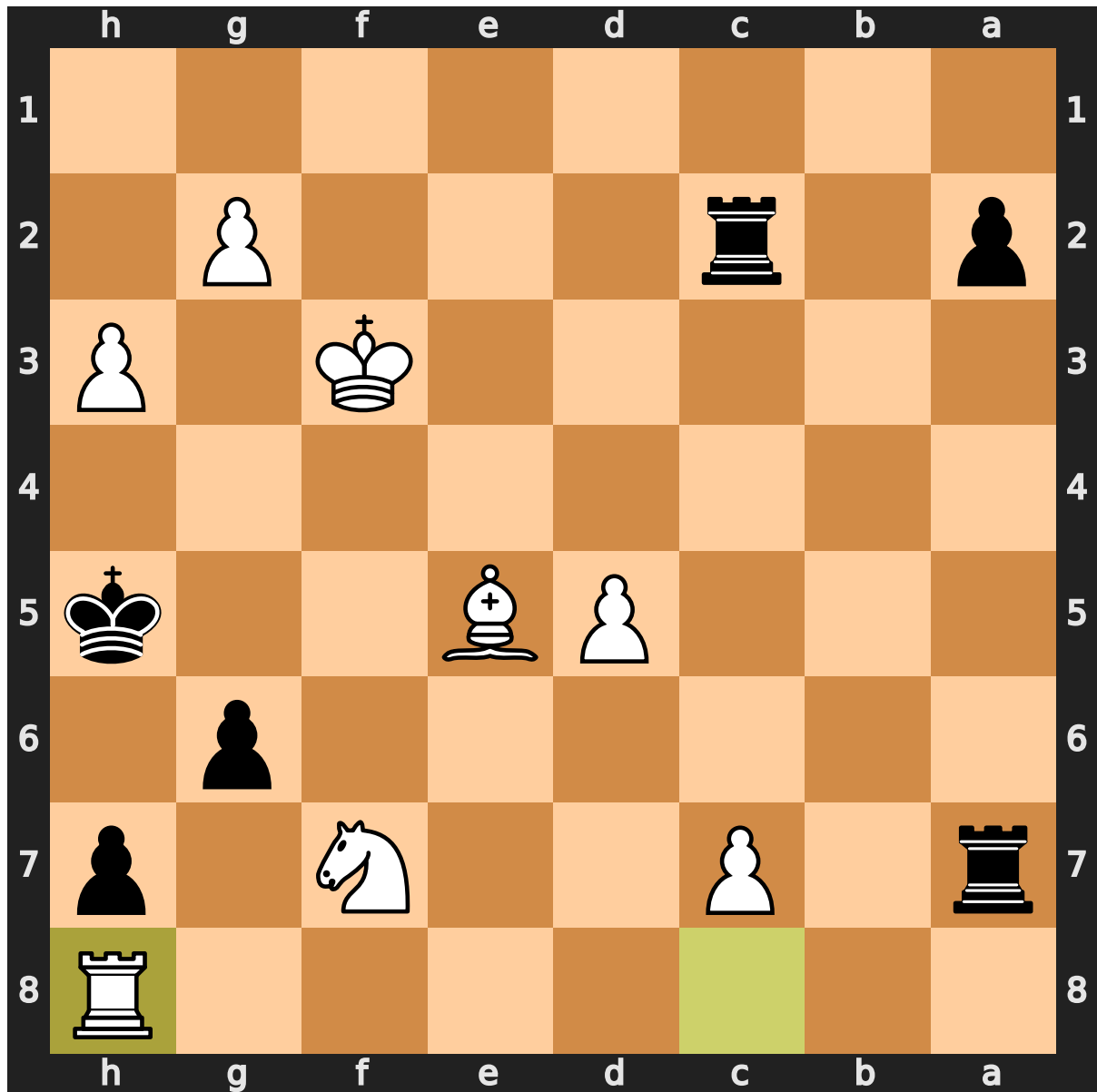


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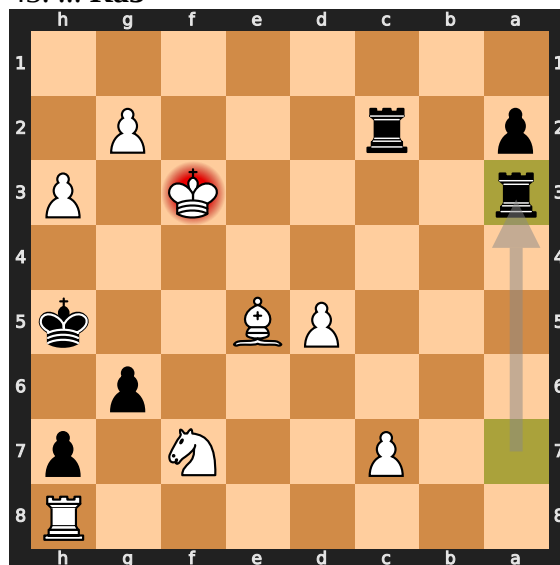
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What is the best move for Black after  
43. Rh8

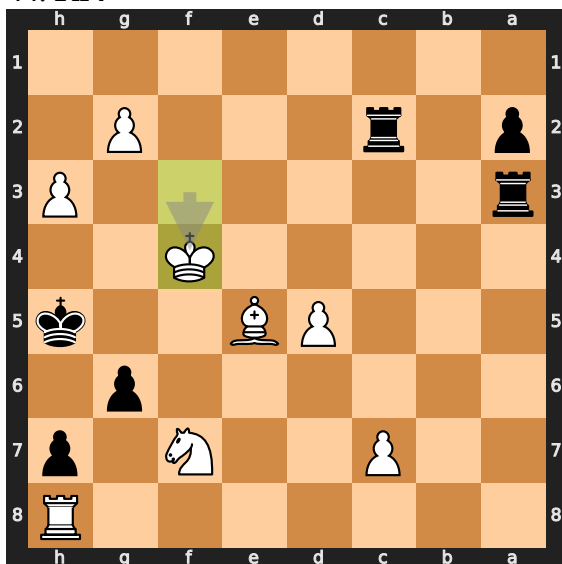


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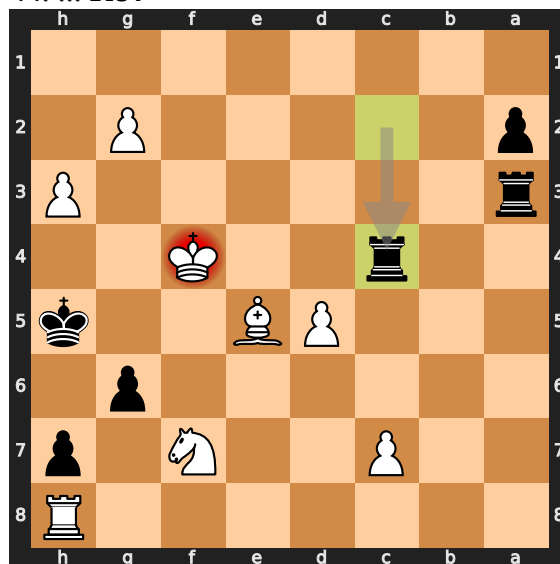
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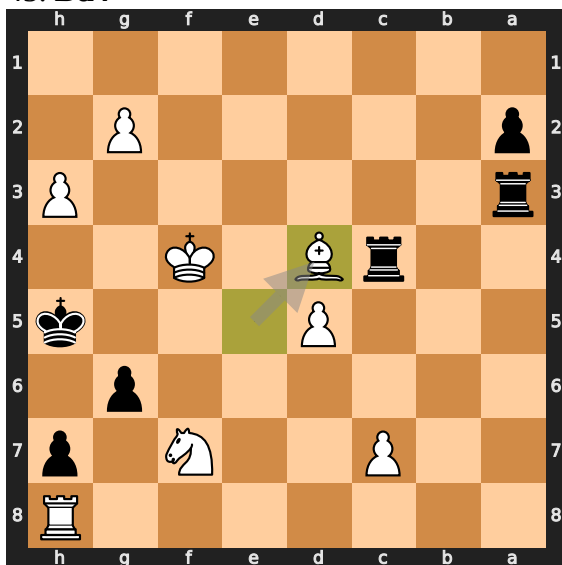
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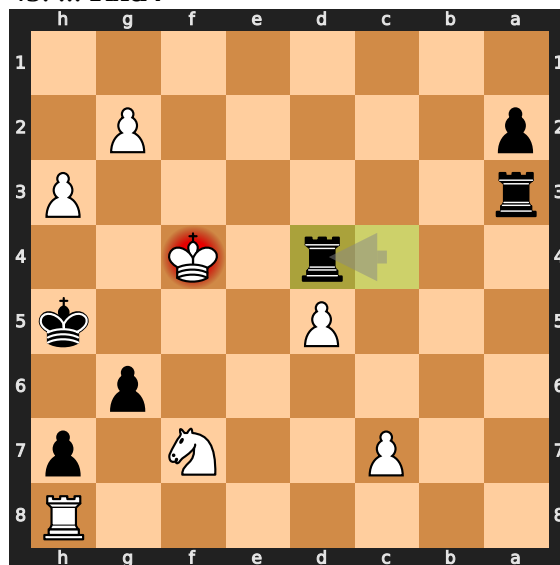
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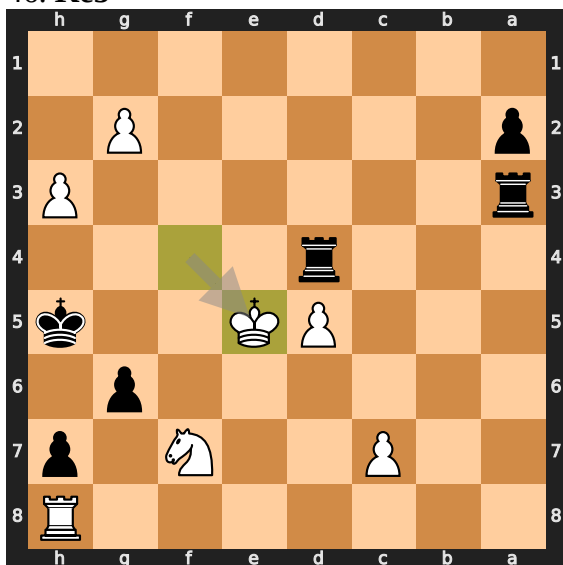


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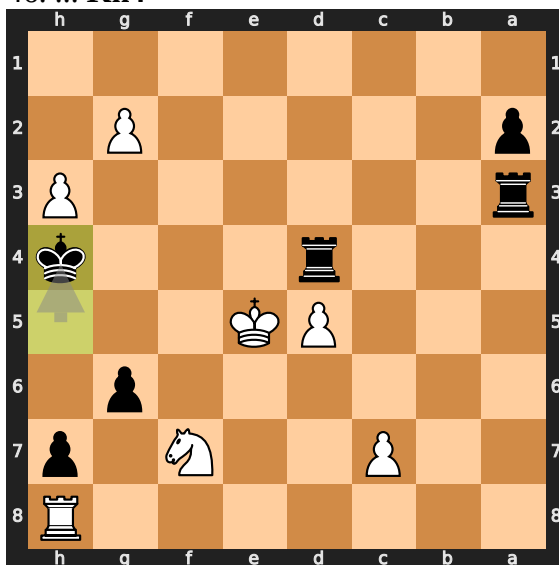


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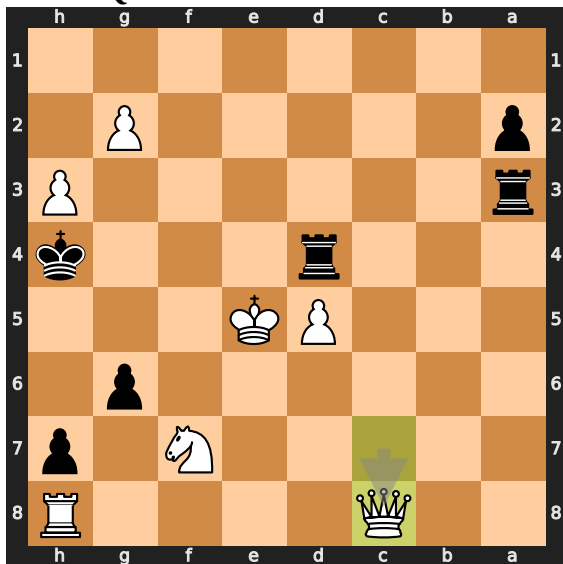
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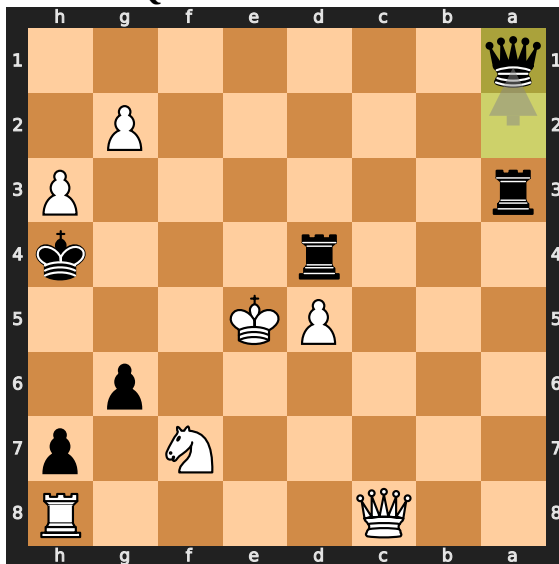
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47. c8=Q



47. ... a1=Q



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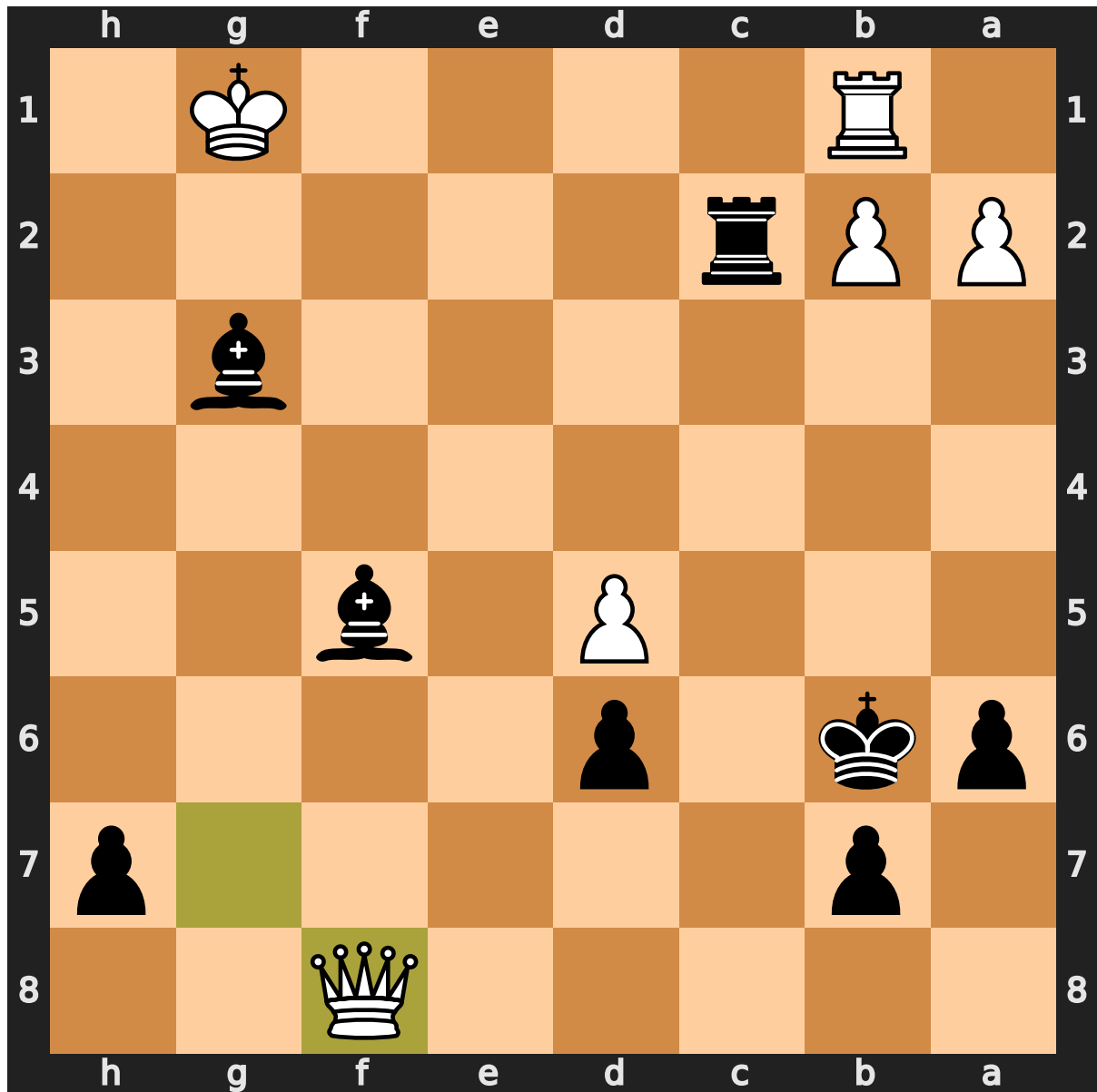


### Lichess Puzzles - Exposed king [8/10]

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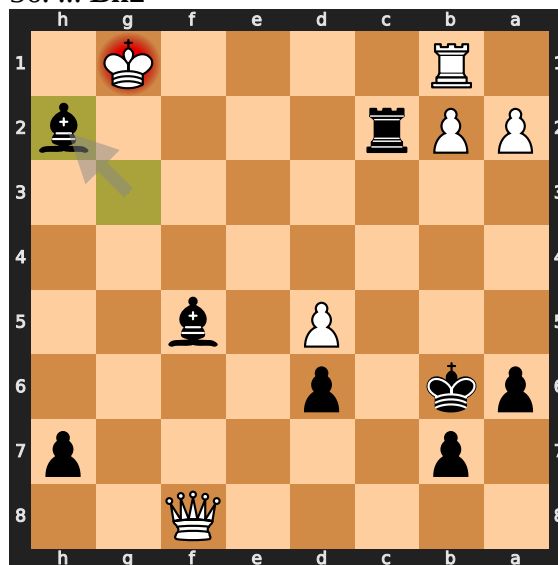
A tactic involving a king with few defenders around it, often leading to checkmate.

What is the best move for Black after  
36. Qxf8

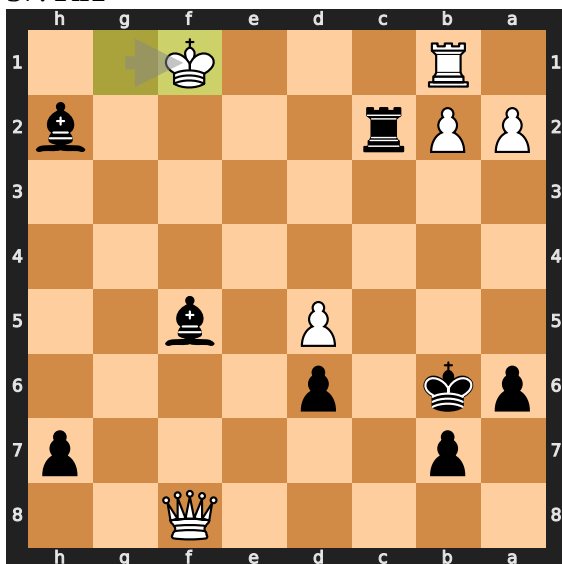


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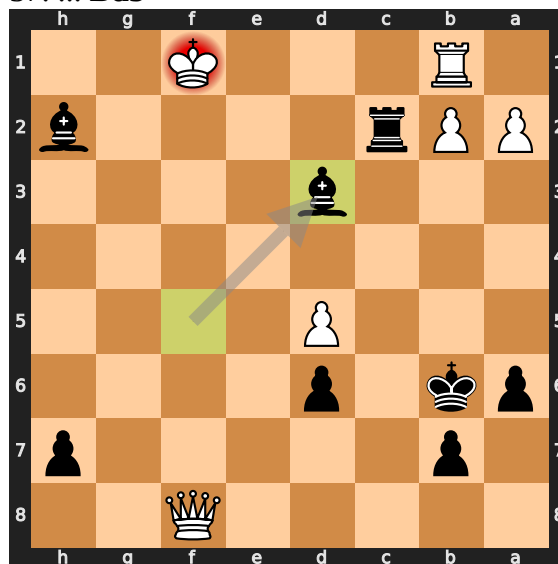
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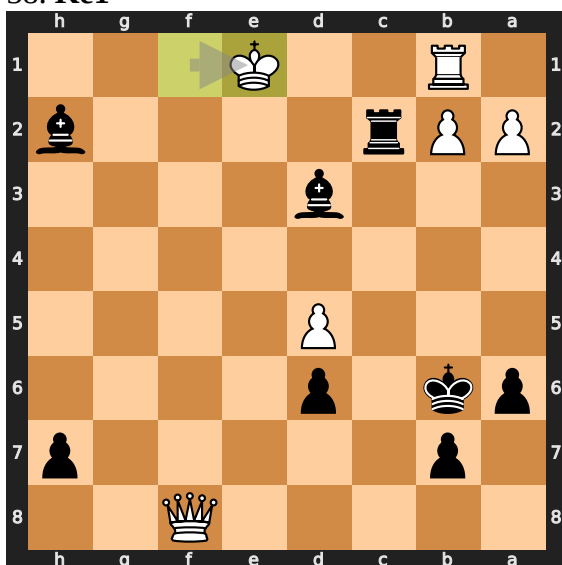
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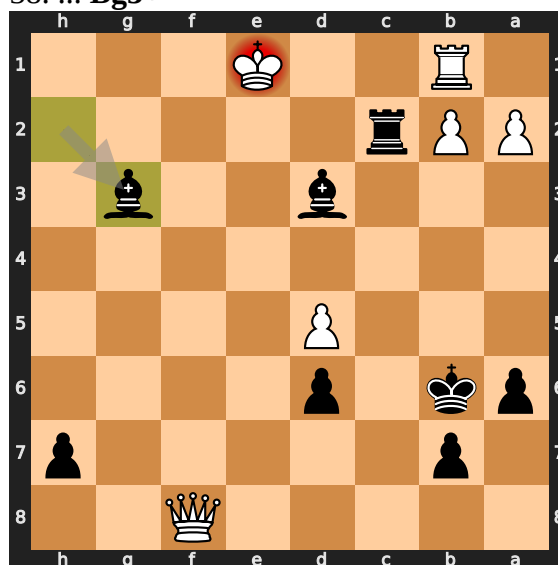
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38. Ke1

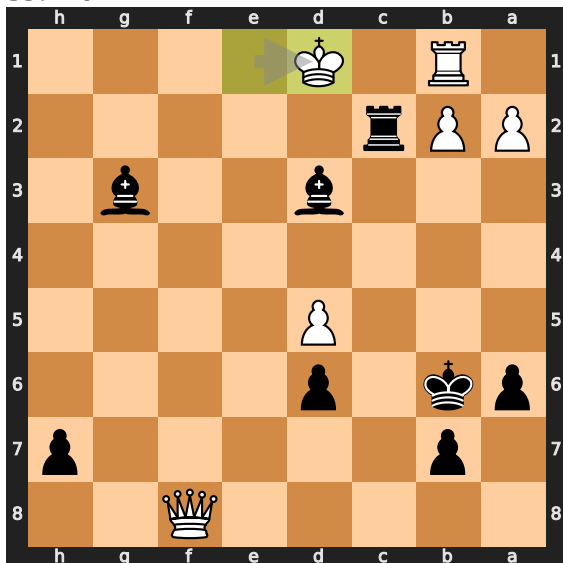


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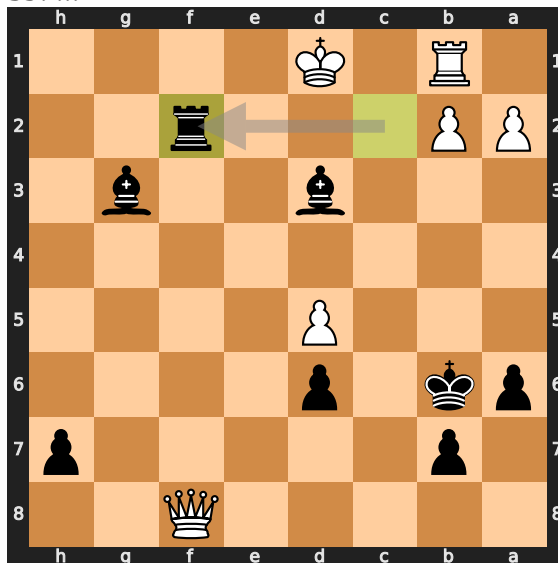


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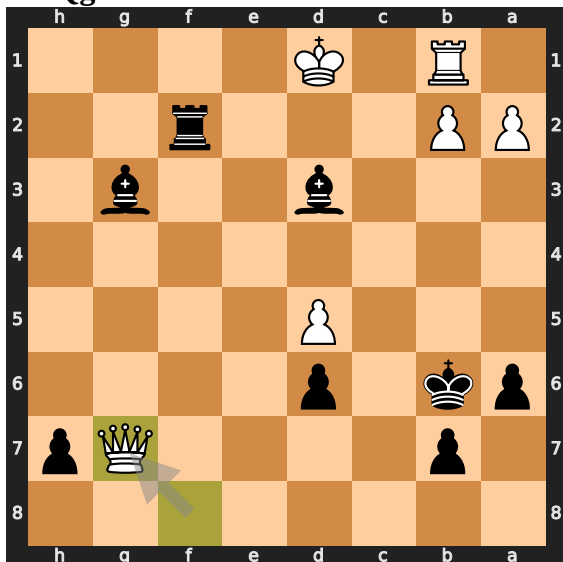
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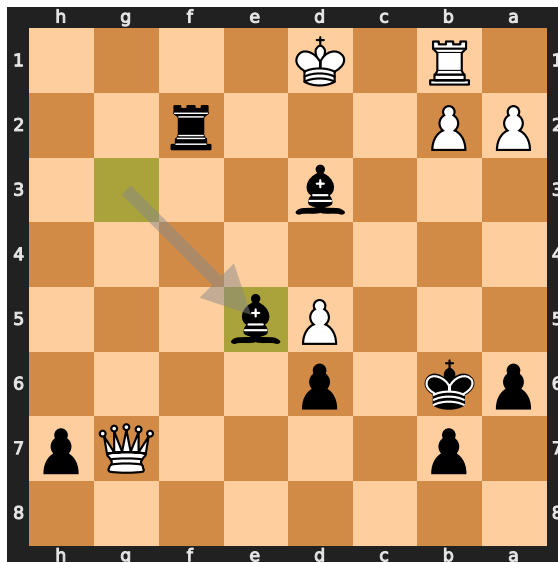
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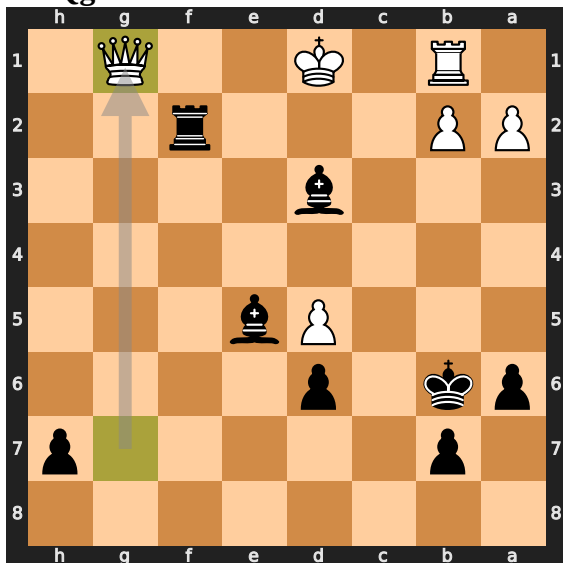
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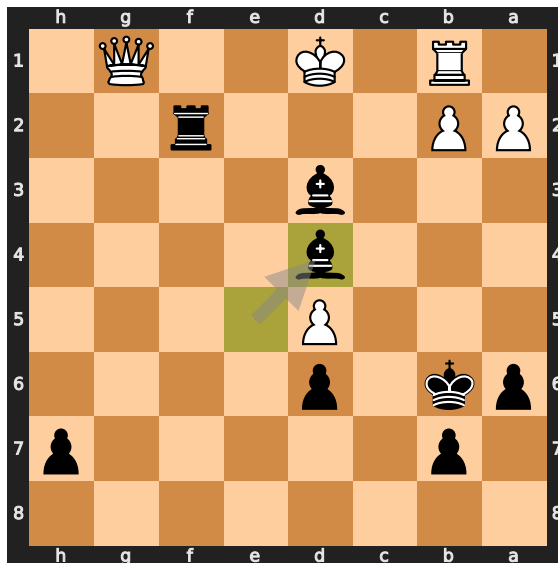
40. ... Be5



41. Qg1



41. ... Bd4



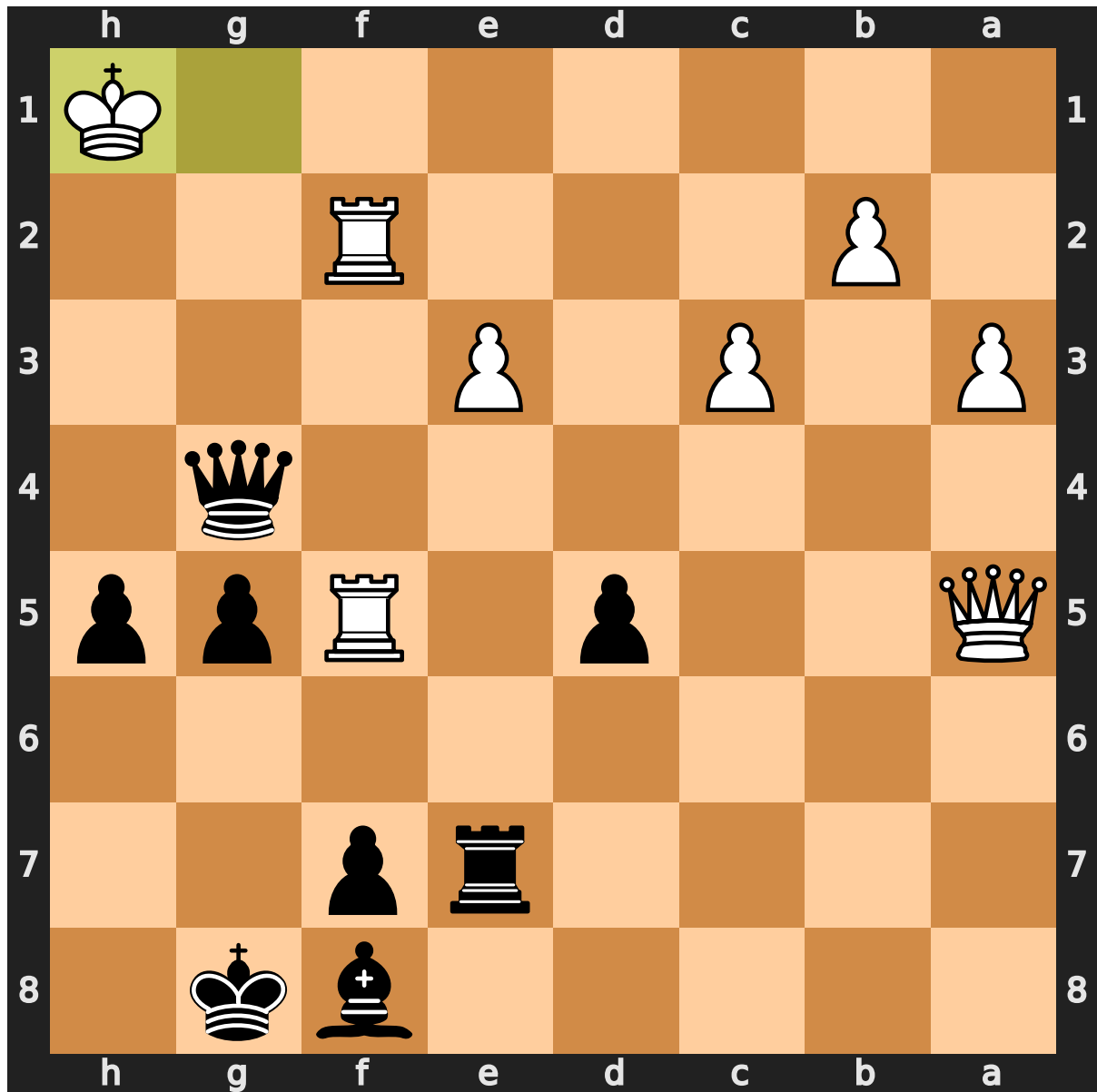
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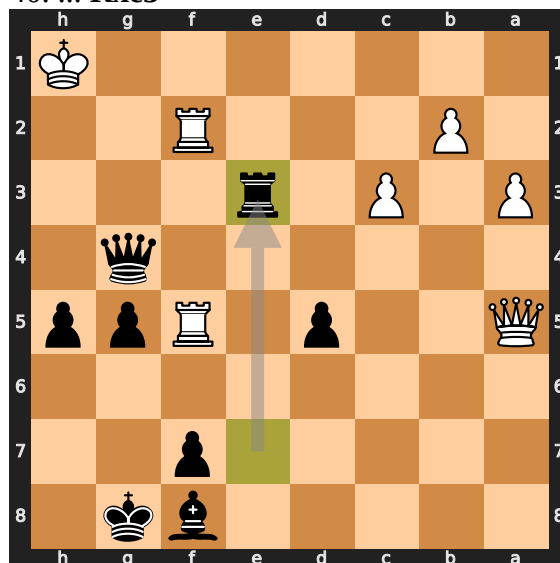
A tactic involving a king with few defenders around it, often leading to checkmate.

What is the best move for Black after  
40. Kh1

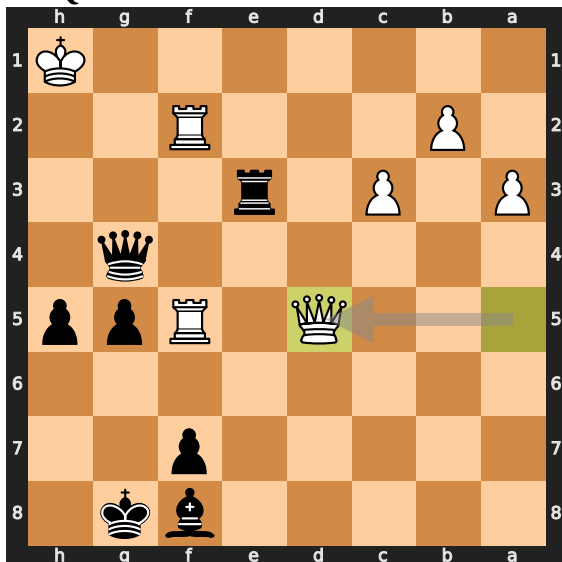


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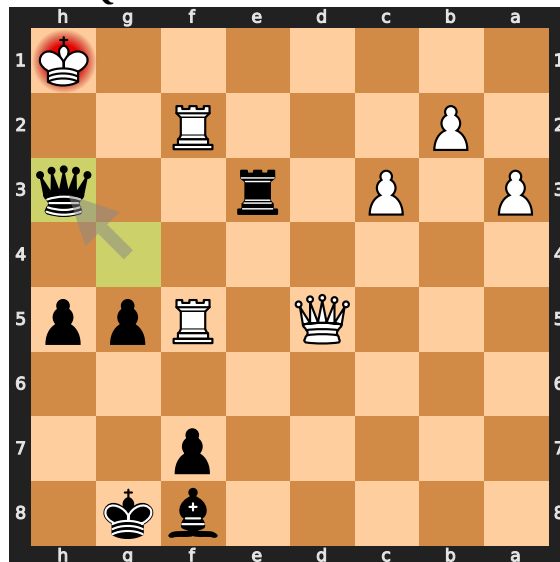
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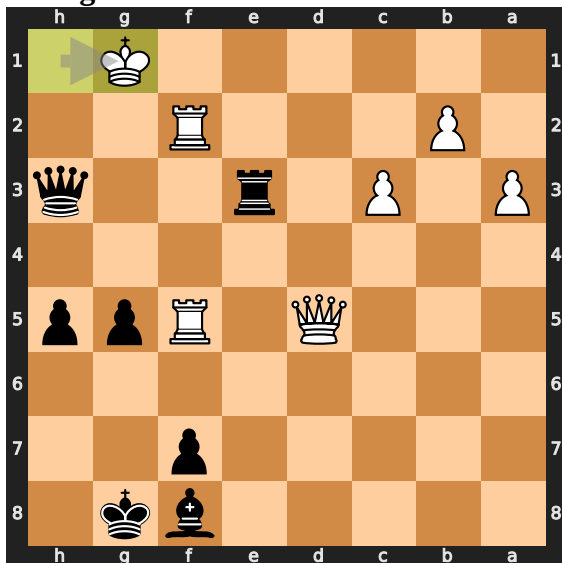
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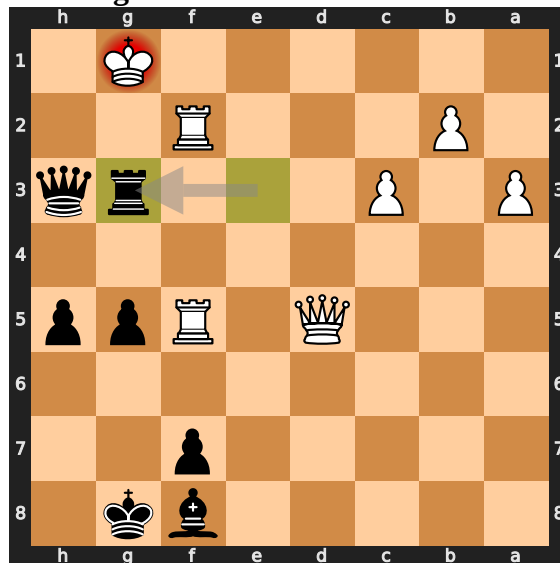
41. ... Qh3+



42. Kg1

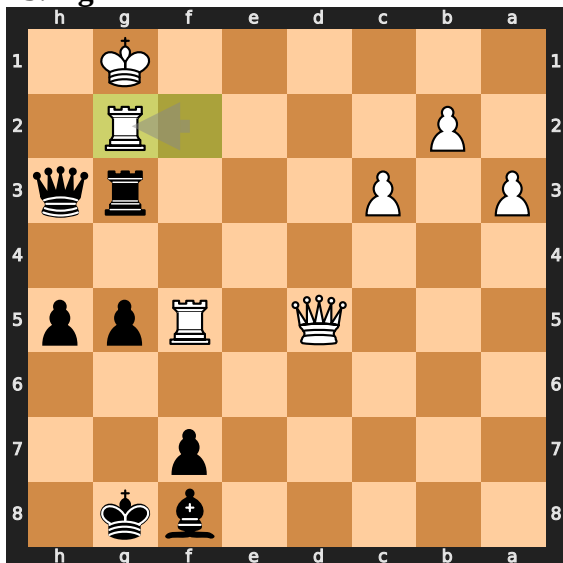


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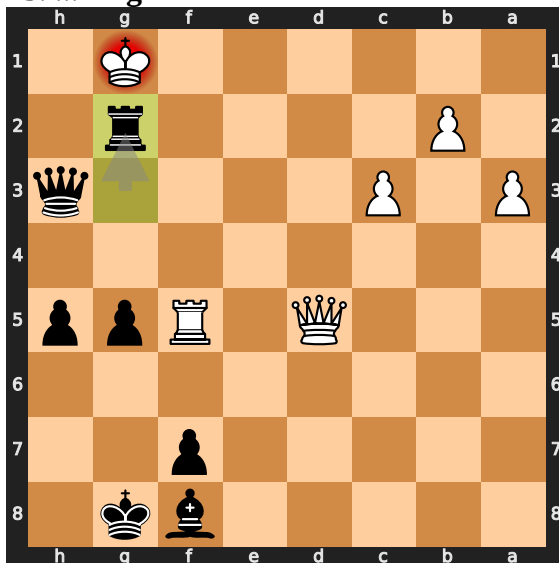


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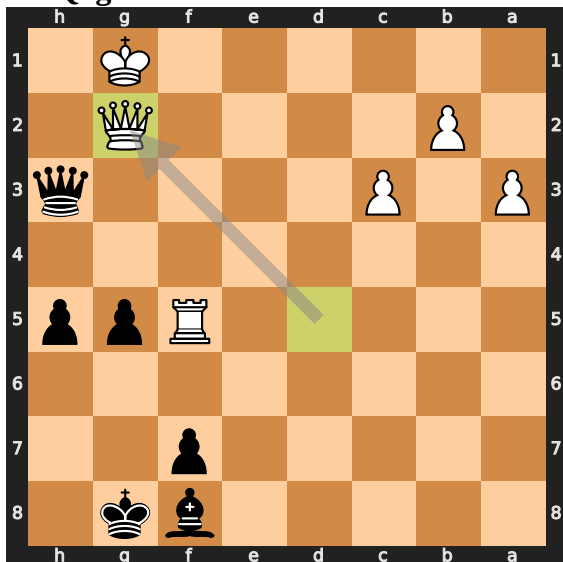
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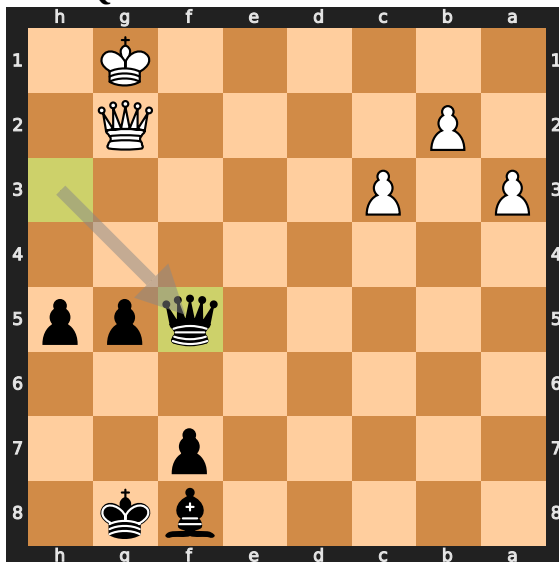
43. ... Rxc2+



44. Qxg2



44. ... Qxf5



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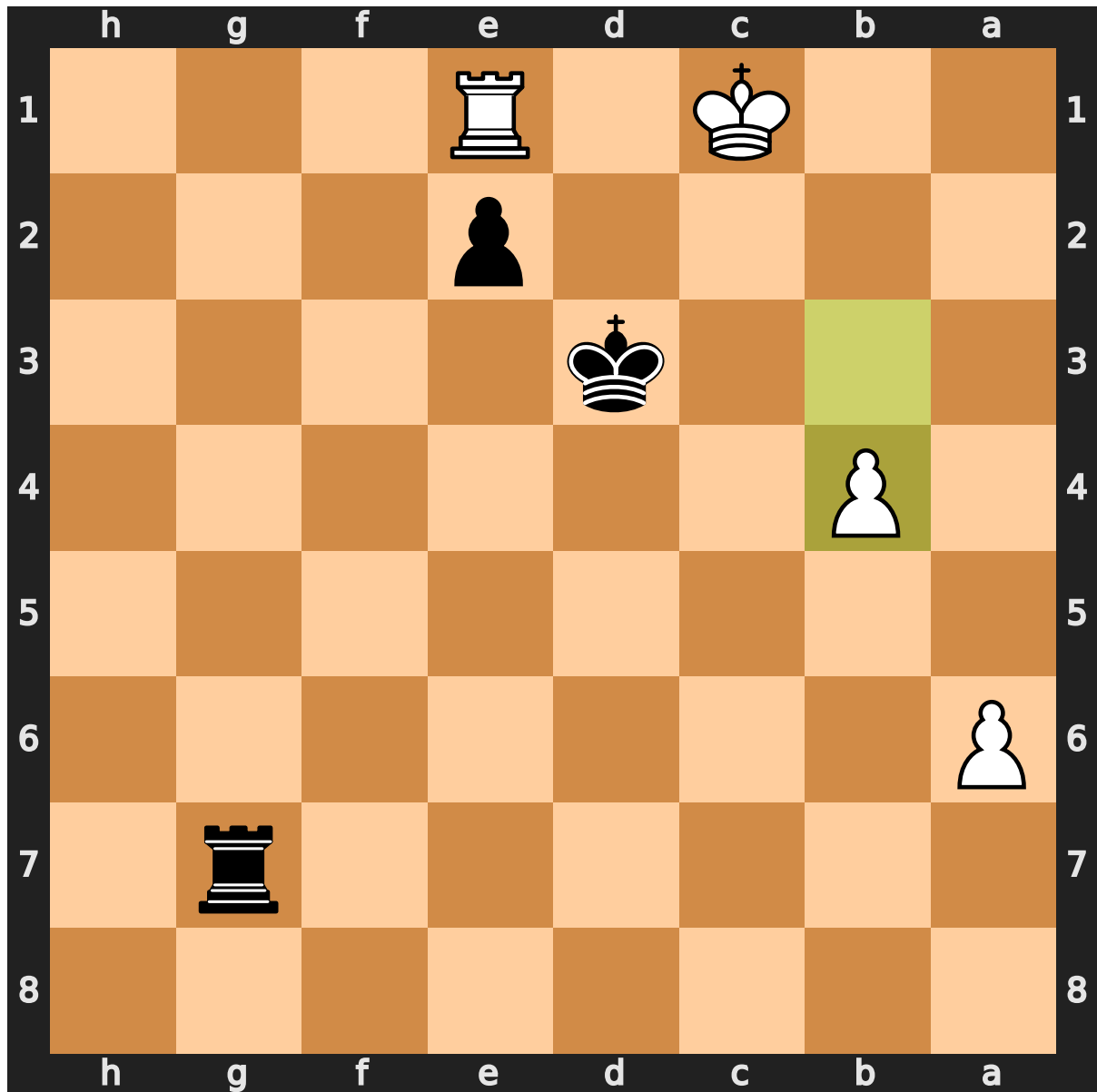


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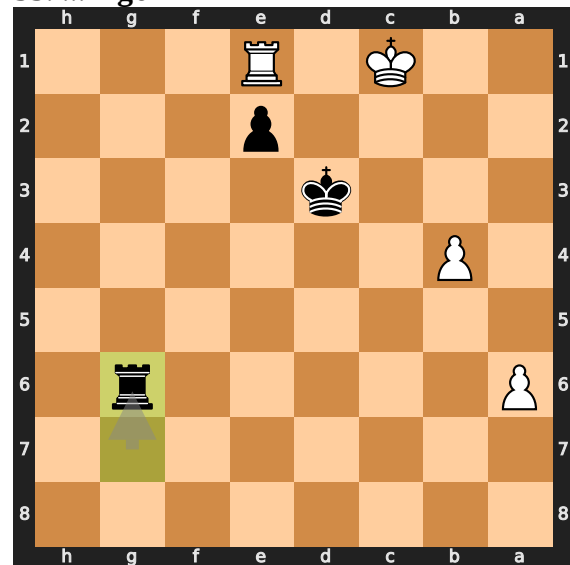
A tactic involving a king with few defenders around it, often leading to checkmate.

What is the best move for Black after  
55. b4

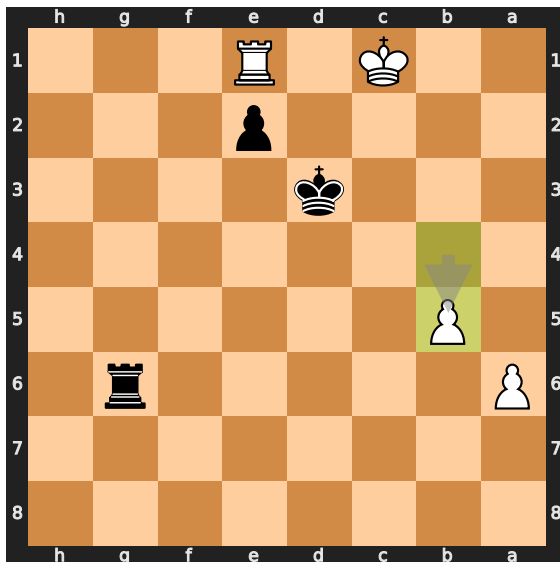


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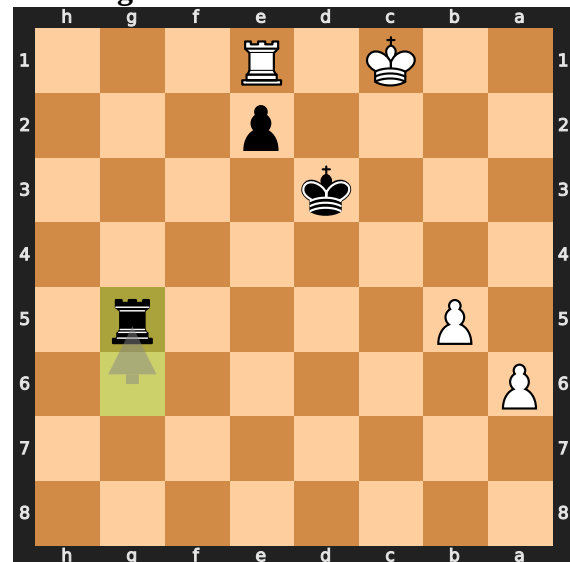
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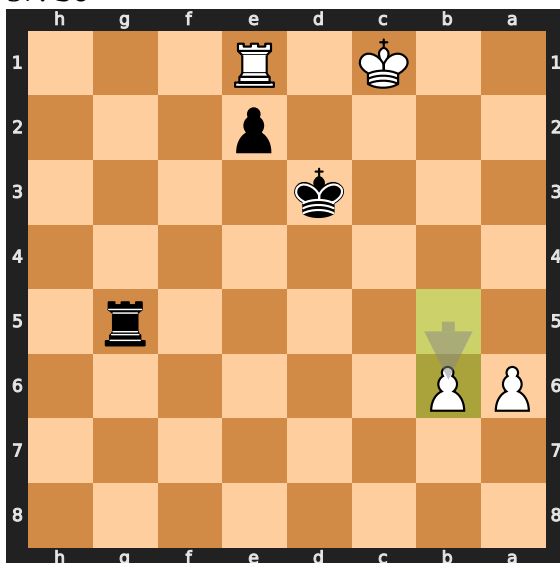
56. b5



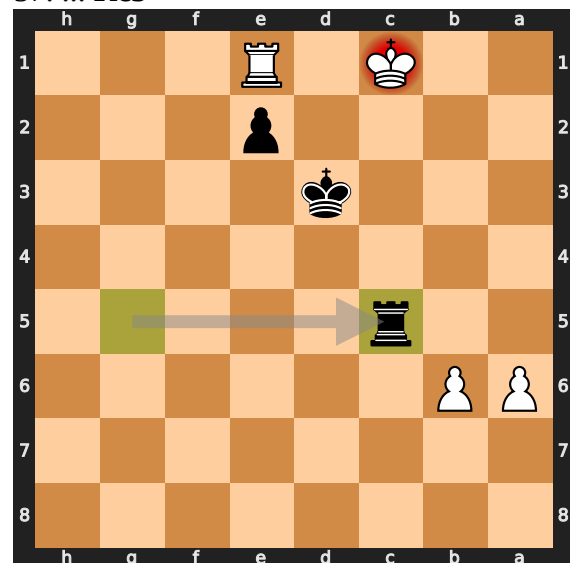
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57. b6

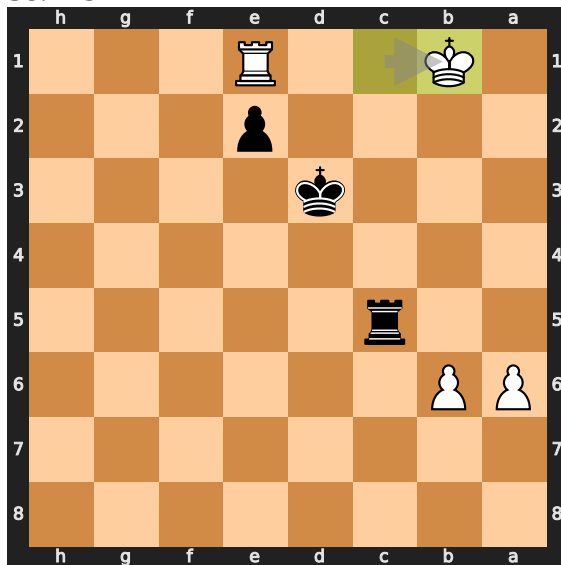


57. ... Rc5+

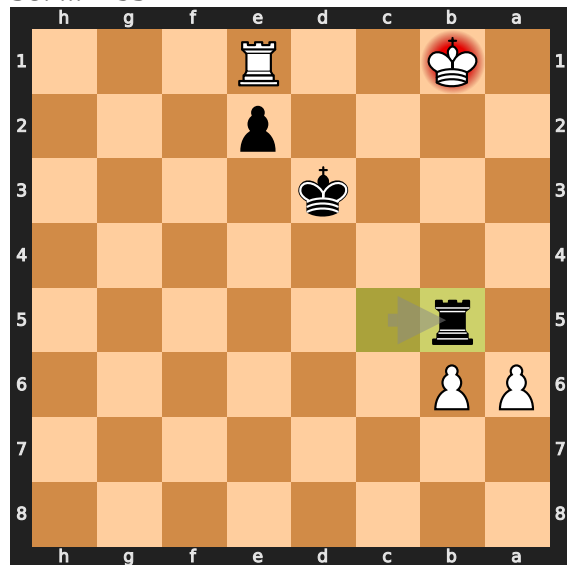


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58. **Kb1**



58. ... **Rb5+**



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