

Gift of the Magi

1. Number
2. Noun - Plural
3. Noun - Plural
4. Noun - Plural
5. Verb - Present Tense
6. Noun
7. Noun
8. Number
9. Number
10. Preposition Or Subordinating Conjunction
11. Noun
12. Noun - Plural
13. Noun - Plural
14. Noun - Plural
15. Noun - Plural
16. Determiner
17. Number
18. Verb
19. Noun
20. Verb - Past Tense
21. Determiner
22. Verb
23. Verb

24. Proper Noun _____

25. Proper Noun _____

26. Proper Noun _____

27. Proper Noun _____

28. Verb - Past Participle _____

29. Determiner _____

30. Proper Noun _____

31. Noun _____

32. Proper Noun _____

33. Proper Noun _____

34. Adverb _____

35. Adjective _____

36. Verb - Past Tense _____

37. Verb - Past Tense _____

38. Adjective _____

39. Adjective _____

40. Adjective _____

41. Verb - Past Participle _____

42. Noun _____

43. Adjective _____

44. Verb - Past Participle _____

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Number DOLLAR AND Noun - Plural CENTS. THAT WAS ALL. AND SIXTY Noun -
Plural of it was in pennies. Noun - Plural saved one and two at a time by Verb - Present Tense the
grocer and the Noun man and the butcher until one's cheeks burned with the silent imputation of
Noun that such close dealing implied. Three times Della counted it. Number dollar and
Number cents. And the next day would be Christmas.

There was clearly nothing left to do but Preposition or subordinating conjunction down on the shabby little
Noun and howl. So Della did it. Which instigates the moral reflection that life is made up of
Noun - Plural, Noun - Plural, and Noun - Plural, with Noun - Plural predominating.

While the mistress of the home is gradually Determiner from the first stage to the second, take a look at
the home. A furnished flat at \$ Number per week. It did not exactly Verb description, but it
certainly had that word on the look-out for the Noun squad.

In the Verb - Past Tense below was a Determiner into which no Verb would go, and an
electric button from which no mortal Verb could coax a ring. Also appertaining thereunto was a card
bearing the name " Proper Noun Proper Noun Proper Noun Proper Noun ."

The " Verb - Past Participle " had been flung to the Determiner during a former period of prosperity
when its possessor was being paid \$30 per week. Now, when the income was shrunk to \$20, the letters of "
Proper Noun " looked blurred, as though they were thinking seriously of contracting to a modest and
unassuming Noun. But whenever Mr. Proper Noun Dillingham Proper Noun came home
and reached his flat above he was called "Jim" and Adverb Adjective by Mrs. James Dillingham
Young, already introduced to you as Della. Which is all very good.

Della finished her Verb - Past Tense and attended to her cheeks with the powder rag. She stood by the
window and Verb - Past Tense out dully at a Adjective cat walking a Adjective fence in a
grey backyard. To-morrow would be Christmas Day, and she had only \$1.87 with which to buy Jim a
Adjective. She had been saving every penny she could for months, with this result. Twenty dollars a
week

doesn't go far. Expenses had been greater than she had _____ Verb - Past Participle. They always are. Only \$1.87 to buy a _____ Noun for Jim. Her Jim. Many a happy hour she had spent planning for something nice for him. Something fine and rare and sterling--something just a little bit near to being _____ Adjective of the honour of being _____ Verb - Past Participle by Jim.