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The manor at Blackfenn had been empty for decades and looked ancient as rainwater began _____ Verb Present

_____ ends in ING new patterns down its stone face. Lucie, the town's only amateur _____ Occupation, slipped

through a rusted gate and found the front door unlocked as if it had been _____ Verb Present ends in ING.

Inside, time hung like _____ Noun . Portraits watched; a _____ Verb Past Tense clock ticked once, then twice,

then stopped. Lucie followed a faint _____ Noun down a corridor where wallpaper _____ Verb Past Tense like

old paper maps. At the end, a small _____ Noun revealed a ledger and a single, _____ Adjective footprint in

_____ Adjective ash.

She opened the ledger. Pages listed names - neighbors who'd vanished years ago--and beside each

_____ Noun , a neat time and a single word: "Returned." Her breath hitched. The _____ Adjective entry was

today's date and her own _____ Noun .

Before she could _____ Verb Base Form the ledger closed, the portrait eyes shifted, and a _____ Noun , dry as

autumn _____ Noun Plural , sighed, "Welcome home." The manor's door shut _____ Adjective behind her.