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To be Honest or Not to be?

There were two pirates, Trotter and Calypso who travelled across the Seven Seas. Trotter was in the leather trousers, the buttoned cloak and with the cutlass. Calypso was in the leather trousers, the woolen jacket and with the leather hat.

One day, they travelled to the Red Sun Temple. It was already in the evening so even the hot sand had already become cool. They climbed stairs of hardened terracotta and solved several ancient puzzles. Eventually, they reached the mountain of the Red Sun Temple. The mountain was full of traps and pools of lava so they carefully climbed the mountain to the top. There was a lot of treasure such as gold, rubies and sapphire. Calypso, however, told Trotter not to take any of the treasure since they were relics that stabilized the temple from collapsing. Suddenly, while exploring the mountain, Trotter's cutlass slipped and fell into the lava. Trotter was very upset. His cutlass was made of rare and white platinum. Suddenly, the ground started shaking vigorously. Calypso thought a relic was misplaced and caused the temple to collapse.

Just at this moment, there was a bright orange flash. The ancient god had been summoned from the presence of an item dropping into the lava. 'I am the ruler of this temple. How may I help you?' asked the ancient god. 'Yes, please! I have dropped my sword into the lava. Can you help me get it back?' replied Trotter. 'Of course!' The ancient god swung his hand into



the pool of lava. In his hand, he brought out the legendary firebrand from the lava. ‘Is this sword yours?’ asked the ancient god. ‘Yes! It’s mine!’ said Trotter with excitement. The ancient god was very disappointed. ‘I have guarded this sword since it was created, so there is no possible chance this sword is yours!’ scolded the ancient god.

The ancient god snapped his fingers. The floor under Trotter was collapsing and soon he was sent to the lava pool. The god gave the firebrand to Calypso since she knew that the relics were crucial for the temple. In the end, Calypso became the new pirate captain.