****Extract from **Enthralled: A Viking Saga**

by Chris Wright, *Chapter 17.*

*From the point of view of Freya.*

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It was Uglybeard, and he was marching towards us. I smiled. I was glad it was him. In an instant, I was stood on the side of the ship, hands free, with Estrid just behind me. I was going to milk this for all it was worth!

“Beware the magic of Freya!” I yelled out and plunged the pin into the exposed battery of my phone.

I turned the hole towards Uglybeard as smoke and sparks began to pour out of it. Out of the corner of my eye, I saw Estrid waving her arms and wiggling her fingers to try and add to the effect. That girl knew how to play along!

“Fear me!” I cried, and then threw the phone to Uglybeard, who caught it out of instinct.

That was when the phone exploded. With a BANG, flames leapt out of it, and Uglybeard was screaming. Others were shouting in fear or anger, but I didn’t see them. I had seized Estrid’s hand and pulled her over the side of the boat and onto the wooden dock below. We landed hard, but were on our feet in an instant, and without turning back, we sprinted towards the market, where I hoped we could lose ourselves in the crowd.

**Questions**

1. How can you tell that Uglybeard has unfriendly intentions at

the start of the extract?

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2. *Why might Uglybeard believe that Freya’s trick with her phone was magic?*

He has seen Freya do magic before He has never seen a phone before

He thinks the pin is a wand Freya is his enemy

3. What makes the phone explode?

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4. Why is the word BANG in all caps?

To emphasise how loud it was It was shouted

It is at the start of a sentence It is an onomatopoeia

5. Why did Uglybeard scream?

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6. What does it mean by *‘I hoped we could lose ourselves in the crowd’*?

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7. Summarise how Freya and Estrid managed to escape from the boat.

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8. Do you think Uglybeard will chase after Freya and Estrid? Why or why not?

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*From the point of view of Freya.*

I took a deep breath and pulled my phone from my pocket. The chains on my hand fell away as I pushed the pin into my other hand.

“Oi!” a voice called out.

It was Uglybeard, and he was marching towards us. I smiled. I was glad it was him. In an instant, I was stood on the side of the ship, hands free, with Estrid just behind me. I was going to milk this for all it was worth!

“Beware the magic of Freya!” I yelled out and plunged the pin into the exposed battery of my phone.

I turned the hole towards Uglybeard as smoke and sparks began to pour out of it. Out of the corner of my eye, I saw Estrid waving her arms and wiggling her fingers to try and add to the effect. That girl knew how to play along!

“Fear me!” I cried, and then threw the phone to Uglybeard, who caught it out of instinct.

That was when the phone exploded. With a BANG, flames leapt out of it, and Uglybeard was screaming. Others were shouting in fear or anger, but I didn’t see them. I had seized Estrid’s hand and pulled her over the side of the boat and onto the wooden dock below. We landed hard, but were on our feet in an instant, and without turning back, we sprinted towards the market, where I hoped we could lose ourselves in the crowd.

**Questions**

1. Why does Freya take a deep breath at the start of the extract?

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2. Why do you think Freya was ‘glad it was [Uglybeard]’ at the

start of the extract?

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6. Why didn’t Freya see the others who were shouting?

She was blinded by the smoke She imagined them

They were behind her She was already leaping off the ship

7. What does it mean by *‘I hoped we could lose ourselves in the crowd’*?

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**Answers**

**Lower Question Set**

1. How can you tell that Uglybeard has unfriendly intentions at

the start of the extract?

*He shouts ‘Oi!’* or he marched towards her.

2. *Why might Uglybeard believe that Freya’s trick with her phone was magic?*

*He has never seen a phone before*

3. What makes the phone explode?

*Pushing the pin into the battery*

4. Why is the word BANG in all caps?

*To emphasise how loud it was*

5. Why did Uglybeard scream?

*He was injured or he was shocked/scared.*

6. What does it mean by *‘I hoped we could lose ourselves in the crowd’*?

*She hoped they would be able to hide there/not be found amongst all the people.*

7. Summarise how Freya and Estrid managed to escape from the boat.

*An explanation that includes making the phone explode, throwing it at Uglybeard and jumping off the ship.*

8. Do you think Uglybeard will chase after Freya and Estrid? Why or why not?

*Yes. e.g. because he will want to recapture them or get revenge.*

*No. e.g. because he is injured, distracted or scared of Freya.*

*Other explanations that make sense within the context.*

**Answers**

**Higher Question Set**

1. Why does Freya take a deep breath at the start of the extract?

*To steady her nerves or similar.*

2. Why do you think Freya was ‘glad it was [Uglybeard]’ at the

start of the extract?

*He is cruel or similar.*

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