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Read the passage - 'Juan Bobo and The Gold' - and answer the question below:

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Juan Bobo lived with his mother in a small village. One day his mother said to him, "Juan our roof is leaking. We must fix it! Also, we need to buy a new cow. Both together will cost a lot of money. I have heard that there is gold hidden by the Blue Cheese Restaurant down the road. You must go find this gold and bring it home." She gave him a biscuit to take with him for lunch. Juan kissed his mother on the cheek.

"I will find the gold mother," he said. "I will be back tonight!"

Juan's mother shook her head sadly as he walked out the door. He was a good boy, but things always seemed to go wrong when Juan tried to help.

Juan walked down the lane. He came to a road and wondered which way he should turn. Just then, a woman in a cart came by. Stopping, she asked Juan, "Are you lost?"

Scratching his head, Juan said, "I don't know. I am trying to find blue..."

Interrupting him, the woman patted the seat beside her, "Why, I am headed to the market in Blue Port myself to sell food. I will take you there if you can keep the food in my cart safe from the birds."

Juan agreed. He climbed onto the cart. Juan was hungry. He started to eat his biscuit. He dropped breadcrumbs all over the woman's cart. Birds flew down to pick up the crumbs and also ate her food.

Finally, they arrived at Blue Port. The woman saw all the food that was eaten in her cart. "I have brought you to Blue Port as I said I would," she said. "Now, get out and take your crumbs with you!"

Juan whispered that he was sorry. He stood in the town square. He wondered which way he should go. A man on a coach pulled

up. He asked Juan, "Are you lost?"

Juan said, "I don't know. I am trying to find the cheese..."

Interrupting him, the man said, "Well, climb in. I am going to get some cheese right now. You can come with me to help me carry what I buy."

Juan agreed. He climbed into the coach. The ride was smooth and Juan fell asleep. He started snoring. The man got mad.

Pulling up next to a farm, the man shoved open the door, "I have brought you to the farm where they make cheese. Now, get out and take your snoring with you!"

Juan whispered that he was sorry. He climbed out of the coach. He looked all around. A young boy walked by carrying bread.

The young boy said, "I am just returning to my Papa's restaurant. If you help me carry this bread, I will make sure that Papa gives you a reward."

Juan agreed. He and the boy walked down the road. Finally, Juan and the young boy arrived at the restaurant. Above the restaurant was a board with a drawing on it. The drawing was of a piece of blue cheese being cut out of the moon. Juan scratched his head. Juan helped the boy carry the bread inside. The boy's father was very glad to have the bread. He thanked Juan for his help and gave him one gold coin as a reward. Juan was so excited to have the gold that he ran all the way home to show his mother.

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1. Based on "Juan Bobo and the Gold," why does Juan Bobo's mother need gold?
 - A. to buy a cow and fix the roof
 - B. to buy blue cheese for bread
 - C. to buy a farm and a restaurant

Read the passage - 'Juan Bobo and The Gold' - and answer the question below:

2. In the story "Juan Bobo and The Gold," how do the woman in the cart and the young boy's father feel differently about Juan?
- A. The woman in the cart feels sorry for Juan, but the young boy's father is proud of Juan.
 - B. The woman in the cart is mad at Juan, but the young boy's father is happy with Juan.
 - C. The woman in the cart is worried for Juan, but the young boy's father is angry with Juan.
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Read the passage - 'Juan Bobo and The Gold' - and answer the question below:

3. In the story, "Juan Bobo and The Gold" how does Juan feel after he falls asleep and starts snoring in the man's coach?
- A. He is sorry.
 - B. He is angry.
 - C. He is happy.