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## Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters: Criss Cross

Answer clues based on the content and vocabulary words from Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters: An African Tale by John Steptoe. Look for hints in the Word Bank. Print the puzzle or use on your tablet, phone, or computer.


## Across

1. Nyasha always $\qquad$ as she worked in her garden.
2. Which daughter was kind?
3. A $\qquad$ from the city announced that the Great King wanted a wife.
4. Manyara left at night so she could see the $\qquad$ before anyone else.
5. $\qquad$ had two beautiful daughters.
6. The old woman said to be polite to the man with his $\qquad$ under his arm.

## Down

- 2. What did Nyasha call the garden snake?
- 3. Which daughter was selfish?
- 5. Manyara met a $\qquad$ little boy in the forest.
- 6. What did Nyoka give the hungry little boy in the forest?
- 8. What kind of seeds did Nyoka give the old woman in the forest?
- 10. An old woman advised Manyara not to $\qquad$ at grove of trees up ahead.


## Word Bank

| MUFARO | NYASHA | MANYARA | SANG |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NYOKA | MESSENGER | KING | HUNGRY |
| LAUGH | HEAD | YAM | SUNFLOWER |

## Answer Key



