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YEAR

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DATE OF BIRTH

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The quest for Thomas was to find the sacred pictures in stone. Then he would be Thomas, the Perfect Knight. His lord told him to follow the big river to where the small river entered.

He began his journey in the early spring. When he reached the big river the remaining winter mud made the path hard to walk on. At night he would ask for shelter.

"I am a Wayfarer on a quest to find the sacred pictures." Everyone showed him kindness and respect.

Day after day he followed the big river observing the longer hours of daylight, the brighter sun and the green leaves. He wondered how long his journey would take.

The time of 2 full moons passed. Thomas knew his body was stronger. He felt he could slay dragons and win jousting tournaments but he needed a sign.

The River

It was the day after he saw the half moon. Thomas heard the water before he saw it. The small river flowed noisily over stones and rocks. As he leaned over to drink he nearly fell. There, a handspan below the surface on the dark stone, were the sacred pictures.

On the cloth inside his tunic he copied the pictures to prove that he had succeeded in his quest.

He was now Thomas, the Perfect Knight.

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2. Get students to download the Kilbaha interactive test to their computers
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OR

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