

In the following pairs of sentences, one sentence is correct, and the other sentence contains a vague or ambiguous pronoun reference. Mark the CORRECT sentence.

1. A___ When Pearl Buck was forty, her novel *The Good Earth* won the Pulitzer Prize.

B___ When she was forty, Pearl Buck's novel *The Good Earth* won the Pulitzer Prize.

2. A___ Buck received much critical praise and earned over \$7 million, but she was very modest about it.

B___ Buck received much critical praise and earned over \$7 million, but she was very modest about her achievements.

3. A___ Katie was an only child, and it was hard.

B___ Katie was an only child, and her solitary life was hard.

4. A___ Jennifer's sister wondered if she were tall enough to be a model.

B___ Jennifer's sister wondered if Jennifer were tall enough to be a model.

5. A___ Dipping the spoon into the pot of simmering soup, Jean felt the spoon slip out of her hand.

B___ Dipping the spoon into the pot of simmering soup, Jean felt it slip out of her hand.

6. A___ At a local restaurant, they provide each table with a bucket of peanuts.

B___ At a local restaurant, the owner provides each table with a bucket of peanuts.

7. A___ Mary and Tom left their bags at the ticket counter, but then they weren't sure if their bags were safe.

B___ Mary and Tom left their bags at the ticket counter, but then they weren't sure if they were safe.

8. A___ The boat bumped the edge of the dock, but the dock didn't need many repairs.

B___ The boat bumped the edge of the dock, but it didn't need many repairs.

9. A___ Although Mike was a real sports fan, his brother never became interested in them.

B___ Although Mike was a real sports fan, his brother never became interested in sports.

10. A___ D.J. had a dog with fleas which he was always scratching.

B___ D.J. had a dog with fleas which the dog was always scratching.