

Beowulf Vocabulary Ch. 1-3

Minstrel: a medieval poet and musician who sang or recited while accompanying himself on a stringed instrument.

Fen: lowland covered wholly or partially with water: boggy land: a marsh.

Moor: a tract of open, peaty, wasteland often overgrown with heath, common in high altitudes and altitudes where drainage is poor.

Mail: a long defensive garment made of interlinked metal rings; hauberk; byrnie.

Desolated: barren; deserted; uninhabited.

Kinsmen: a blood relative especially a male.

Comrades: a person who shares in one's activities, occupation; companion, associate, friend.

Bide/Bade: a greeting, farewell, or wish.

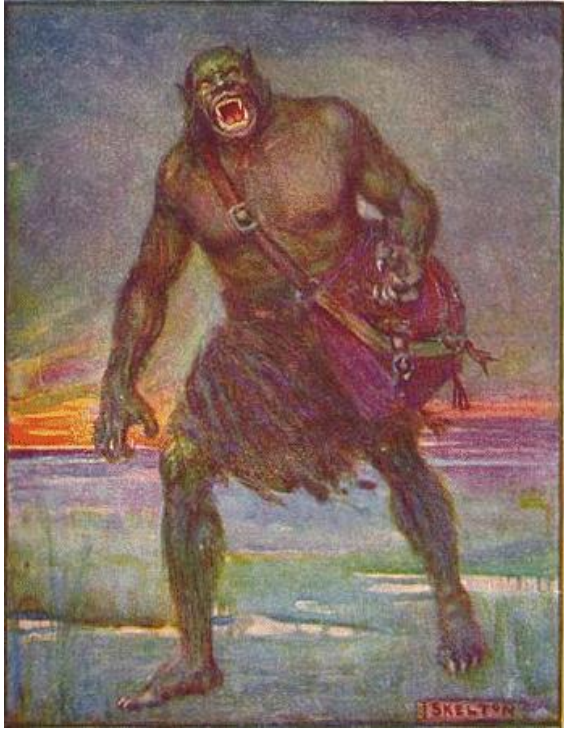
Prowess: valor, bravery, or ability especially in combat or battle.

Guise: assumed appearance or mere semblance.

Succour: help; relief; aid; assistance.

Thanes: a member of any of several aristocratic classes of men ranking between earls and ordinary freeman, and granted lands by the king or by lords for military service.

Earls: a governor of one of the great divisions of England including East Anglia, Mercia, North Umbria, and Wessex.

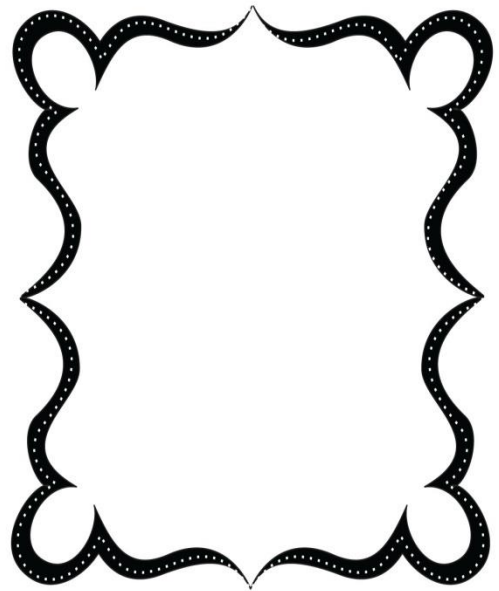


How Grendal The Ogre Warred With The Dane Folk

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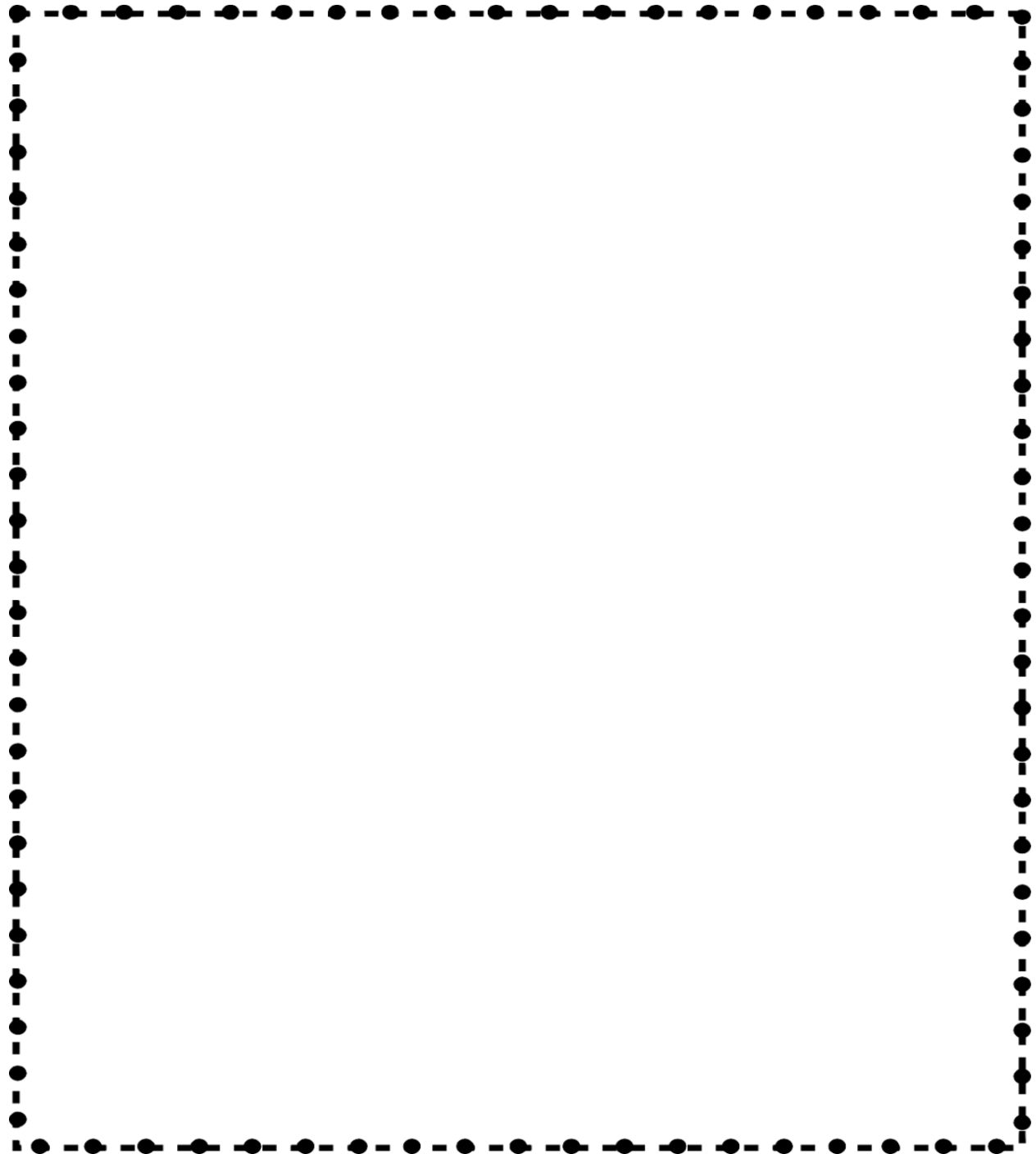
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Use the following description to draw a detailed picture of Queen Wealtheow

Then forth from the bower came Wealtheow, Hrothgar's queen. Stately and tall, and very beautiful she came, clothed in rich garments girdled with gold. A golden crown was upon her head, and jewels glittered upon her neck. In her hand she held a great golden cup set with gems. First to King Hrothgar she went and gave to him the beaker.



Beowulf alone, watchful and waiting for the foe, impatiently longed for the coming battle.

Use the excerpt above and tell what you think will happen next.

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