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“The Lady, or the Tiger?”

1. The author challenges you to guess the outcome of the story. From what you know of the princess, which do you think she would point to? Give three reasons to support your answer.
2. At one point you are told that the solution to the question lies in understanding the nature of the princess: “Think of it, fair reader, not as if the decision of the question depended upon yourself, but upon that hot-blooded, semi-barbaric princess…” Does the answer lie within the story or within the individual reader? Explain your answer.
3. List three examples of irony in this story (use specific quotes from the text).
4. Using specific events from the story, label the plot diagram.