

UNBRIDLED OPTIMISM

Flowers blooming, days lengthening, warmth returning... and unbridled optimism always welling forth...

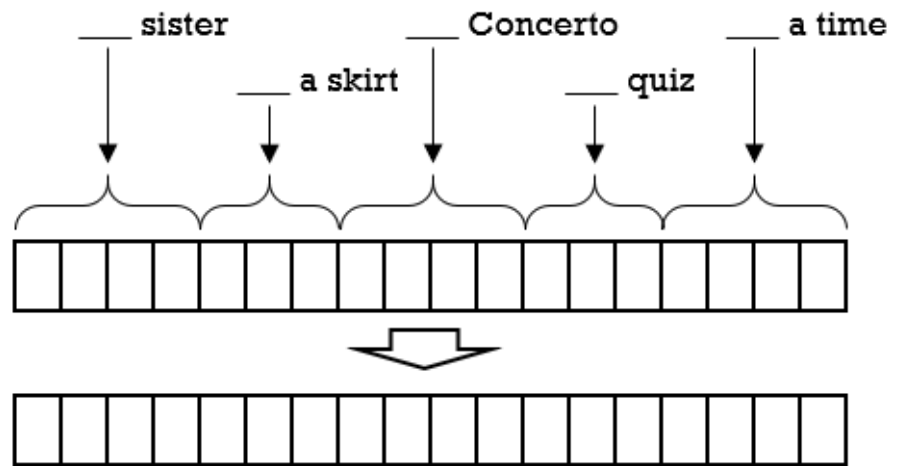
Solve for the five words below. Next, cut out the large L-shape, fold back along lines 1 and then 2 to have letters visible front and back, and then, with the circle always facing down, fold forward* sequentially along the rest of the lines in order (3, 4...).

*or if you prefer: - - - - = mountain fold - · - - = valley fold

Now take a deep breath and let out a well-earned **sigh**, for you are essentially **face-to-face** with the solution!

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	S	15
K	Q	13
O	U	11
Q	P	9
H	R	7
I	J	5
N	E	3



Five additional clues, in no particular order:

- ___ corn ___ & haw
- ___ moons ago
- ___ ladder ___ -elor

X	H	M	Y	Z	T	H
●	B	V	D	E	W	C
4	2	8	10	12	14	

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