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and

but

or

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such

so

3. She was jealous ………………… her friend's good fortune.

for
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4. Royal jesters were welcome respites \ldots\ldots\ldots\ldots the court formalities.

5. \ldots\ldots\ldots\ldots this picture look better in a black frame?

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  Shouldn't
  Couldn't
6. One of the favorite themes of the writer was/were the fraternity of mankind.

7. The knife was old but the blade has/had a keen edge.

8. The landlord kicked him out of his apartment of/for/from nonpayment of rent.
9. She was kidding him ................. she said she would marry him.

| when | before | while |

10. The queen’s crown was covered ................. diamonds, rubies and other gems.

| from | with | in |

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ANSWERS

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