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**Fill in the blank.**

adopted / renowned / erosion /  
 geography / reunified /

1). This is no doubt that King Taksin The Great is \_\_\_\_\_ as one of the greatest warrior-kings in Siamese history.



2). Born to a Chinese father and Thai mother, His Majesty was \_\_\_\_\_ by the Samuhanayok, equivalent to the Prime Minister today, during King Boromakot's Reign.

3). If you are good at \_\_\_\_\_, you will know that if you head east from Ayutthaya in the direction of Chantaburi, you will pass Nakhon Nayok and Prachinburi.

4). Unfortunately, the original pagoda was destroyed by \_\_\_\_\_ of the riverbank.

5). It was he who \_\_\_\_\_ Siam after the Second Fall of Ayutthaya.

**Who is he?**

- 1). He was a warrior who later in life become king.
- 2). He has a bridge named after him.
- 3). He has an equestrian statue.

He is \_\_\_\_\_.

**✓ True or False ✗**

1. \_\_\_ At the age of about 30, King Taksin led the army which repelled the enemy who were attempting to invade the southern region of Thailand.
2. \_\_\_ Before the Second Fall of the Ayutthaya Kingdom in 1767, King Taksin gathered 500 of his finest men and advanced through the enemy's lines.
3. \_\_\_ King Taksin decided to confront his enemies at Ayutthaya and strategically won him the battle.
4. \_\_\_ Years later, when it was all over, King Taksin ordered the construction of a pagoda in remembrance of his victory in the Jolo river delta.

Vocabulary	Translation
strategy	
objective	
expand	
tourism	
agriculture	
seize	
manpower	

### Brothers in arms

แปลว่า \_\_\_\_\_.

### Hold your horses

แปลว่า \_\_\_\_\_.



### Word Search

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TOURISM  
ATTEMPT  
EQUIVALENT  
AGRICULTURE  
STRATEGY

CONFRONT  
MANPOWER  
ADOPT  
HISTORY  
ACCEPT

GATHER  
RECLAIM  
INVADE  
OBJECTIVE  
EROSION

### Did you know?

**King Taksin** had accomplished so much for Thailand. The government has declared December 28<sup>th</sup> to be a day of homage to the King. A state ceremony has been held annually at the King Taksin the Great monument in Wongwian Yai, Bangkok since 1954.



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