

The Skin Horse had lived longer \_\_\_\_\_ the nursery than any of the \_\_\_\_\_. He was so old  
on believe in many great others

that his \_\_\_\_\_ coat was bald in patches and \_\_\_\_\_ the seams underneath, and most of  
brown smile empty showed understood from

\_\_\_\_\_ hairs in his tail had been \_\_\_\_\_ out to string bead necklaces. He \_\_\_\_\_  
an the good granted rest pulled could bead was

wise, for he had seen a \_\_\_\_\_ succession of mechanical toys arrive to \_\_\_\_\_ and swagger,  
small he long grant year boast

and by-and-by \_\_\_\_\_ their mainsprings and pass away, and \_\_\_\_\_ knew that they were only  
break in speak me he front

toys, \_\_\_\_\_ would never turn into anything else. \_\_\_\_\_ nursery magic is very strange and  
but as and For At Help

\_\_\_\_\_, and only those playthings that are \_\_\_\_\_ and wise and experienced like  
wonderful grand form big old hold

\_\_\_\_\_ Skin Horse understand all about it.  
the an guest

“\_\_\_\_\_ is REAL?” asked the Rabbit one \_\_\_\_\_, when they were lying side by  
Went The What watch gone day

\_\_\_\_\_ near the nursery fender, before Nana \_\_\_\_\_ to tidy the room. “Does it  
side play grant who rent came

\_\_\_\_\_ having things that buzz inside you \_\_\_\_\_ a stick-out handle?”  
mean understand form but and in

“Real isn’t \_\_\_\_\_ you are made” said the Skin Horse. “\_\_\_\_\_ a thing that happens to  
where same how I’m New It’s

you,” said the Skin horse, “\_\_\_\_\_ become. It takes a long time. \_\_\_\_\_ why it doesn’t often  
it that you Help’s A That’s

happen to \_\_\_\_\_ who break easily, or have sharp \_\_\_\_\_, or who have to be carefully kept.  
donkeys the people edges wheels down

Generally, by the time you are \_\_\_\_\_, most of your hair has been \_\_\_\_\_ off, and your eyes  
weak bear real received of loved

drop out \_\_\_\_\_ you get loose in the joints \_\_\_\_\_ very shabby. But these things don’t  
an and be be run and

\_\_\_\_\_ at all, because once you are \_\_\_\_\_ you can’t be ugly, except to \_\_\_\_\_  
matter believe barn real early under people insects rest

who don’t understand!’

