A. Directions: Fill in each blank with the correct word from the box.

1. The puppy was _____________ to his owner and followed him everywhere.

2. The princess’s diamond ring was _____________ as it sparkled in the sunlight.

3. Allegra was in a _____________ after she won the contest.

4. Only Marco’s _____________ stance showed how angry he was.

5. On a beautiful, clear day, the water takes on a vibrant _____________ green color.

6. Allan would only bully and _____________ kids who were smaller than he was.

B. Directions: Circle the word in each group that is the same or almost the same in meaning as the boldfaced word.

7. devoted
   - happy
   - loyal
   - loud
   - political

8. rigid
   - easy
   - soft
   - stiff
   - bendable

9. dazzling
   - dark
   - hard
   - wild
   - beautiful

10. torment
    - harass
    - please
    - help
    - fool

C. Writing Option: Years later, when she is in high school, June tells her mother about the Other June. Write a description of the Other June that June might have shared with her mother. Use at least two of the words from the box.

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