



CHESS PUZZLES 1

BLACK

8				K				
7								
6								
5								
4								
3								
2								
1				K				
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h

WHITE



					K		
R							
							K

1: White to move, mate soon

	R						
						R	
							K

2: White to move, mate soon

							K
				K			
							Q

3: White to move, mate soon

							Q
				K			
		R			R		

4: White to move and mate NOW

K White pieces
K Black pieces



				K			
	Q						
				B			
				R			

1: White to move

						K	
			R				
	B					Q	

2: White to move

		R					
				R			
B							

3: White to move,
What is Black's BEST move?

		R					
				R			
B							
						K	

4: White to move, Black has a response!!

K White pieces
K Black pieces



						N	
		N					
							B

1: White to move

						N	
		N					
							B

2: White to move, Black has a response!!

			Q				
			K				
							R

3: White to move

		Q	K				
					R		
					R		

4: White to move

K White pieces
K Black pieces



					R		
			N		Q		

1: White to move

		K					
					R		
			N		Q		

2: White to move, Black has a response!!

				R			
			K		Q		
				P			

3: White to move

						B	
				B			
					K		K

4: White to move, mate soon
(Similar to "Rook Roller", Only with Bishops!)

K White pieces
K Black pieces



Answers for Chess Puzzles

Page 2:
1: Kg3
2: Ra2
3: Kf6
4: Qd8++

Page 3:
1: Bd2+ OR Bc5+
2: Rd3+ OR Rg5+
3: Bd5 Rcc5 (3 other moves possible) Make best of bad situation
4: Bd5 Rc1+ (Both Rooks escape safely) (NOT Re1+)

Page 4:
1: Bd4
2: Bd4 Ncd5 (Both Knights are safe, 3 other moves are possible)
3: Rd1+
4: Re8+

Page 5:
1: Ne5
2: Ne5 Qc2+ OR Qg4 (Queen and Rook escape)
3: e4
4: Bf4+ THEN Bf3++