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Text: adapted from *Wonderful Adventures of Mrs. Seacole in Many Lands*

Author: Mary Seacole (1857)

Text 2

Text: adapted from *The Language of Kindness: A Nurse's Story*

Author: Christie Watson (2018)

Text 1

In her autobiography Mary Seacole remembers a time when she was travelling through Central America and a serious disease affected the town where she was staying.

From *Wonderful Adventures of Mrs Seacole in Many Lands* by Mary Seacole published by Penguin Classics. Copyright © Mary Seacole, 2005. Reprinted by permission of Penguin Books Limited. From First Line: 'It was late in the evening when the largest mule-owner in town came to me and inquired

¹mule – a mix of a donkey and a horse

²muleteer – a person who works with mules

Text 2

Christie Watson was a nurse for twenty years and here she describes one of the experiences she had while working in a hospital.

From *Language of Kindness* by Christie Watson published by VINTAGE Copyright © Christie Watson, 2019. Reprinted by permission of Penguin Books Limited. (World excl. USA, Canada and Philippines Rights only) From *First Line* "Betty is getting worse. Her face looks concave and her teeth are chattering."

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