

NEW YEAR'S CRYPTOGRAM #3

Each of these Cryptograms is a message in substitution code. THE SILLY DOG might become UJD WQPPZ BVN if U is substituted for T, J for H, D for E, etc. One way to break the code is to look for repeated letters. E, T, A, O, N, R and I are the most often used letters. A single letter is usually A or I; OF, IS and IT are common 2-letter words; try THE or AND for a 3-letter group. The code is different for each Cryptogram.

1. Kta tjxxpaqk xavxea rvh'k tjda kta
zaqk vy adabiktphu, ktai nfqk ljca
kta zaqk vy adabiktphu.
2. Bjc egbp wljs sg rlyc egb tcsscp ogs
tfsscp.
3. Bzgzcczu yk bxt oyckb ernfm jnat zo
n 365 jnat ezzm. Ucybt n azzl zft.

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ANSWER KEY

1. Kta tjxxpaqk xavxea rvh'k tjda kta
zaqk vy adabiktphu,ktai nfqk ljca
kta zaqk vy adabiktphu.

The happiest people don't have the best of
everything,they just make the best of
everything.

2. Bjc egbp wljs sg rlyc egb tcsscp ogs
tfsscp.

Use your past to make you better not bitter.

3. Bzgzcczu yk bxt oyckb ernfm jnat zo
n 365 jnat ezzm. Ucybt n azzl zft.

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book. Write a good one.