



Hard Chess Puzzle # 0085

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Hard Chess puzzle # 0085 - Mate in 3 moves

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Puzzle No : 0085

Difficulty level : hard

Description : Mate in 3 moves

Next Move : White

Player level : Advanced

Short URL for puzzle : <https://gbud.in/gxg8983>

Hard chess puzzle 0085

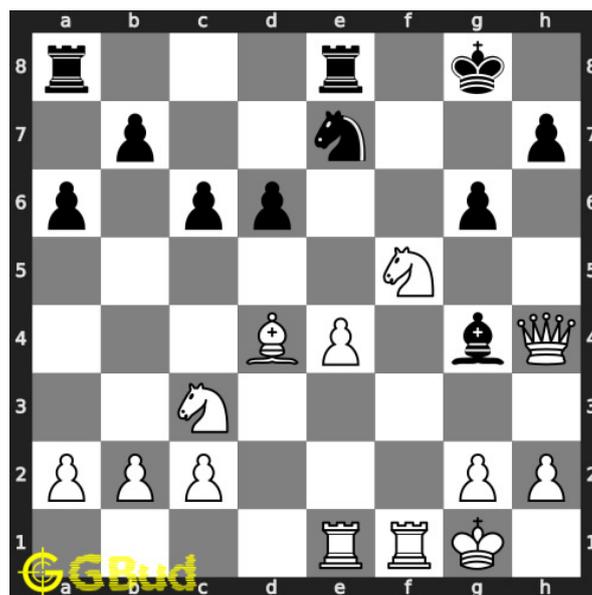


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Solution to hard chess puzzle 0085

At this puzzle, next [move](#) is by [White](#). The objective of the puzzle is to mate in 3 moves.

See the interactive solution at the [puzzle page](#)

Solution 1

Initial board position This is the initial board position of hard chess puzzle 0085.

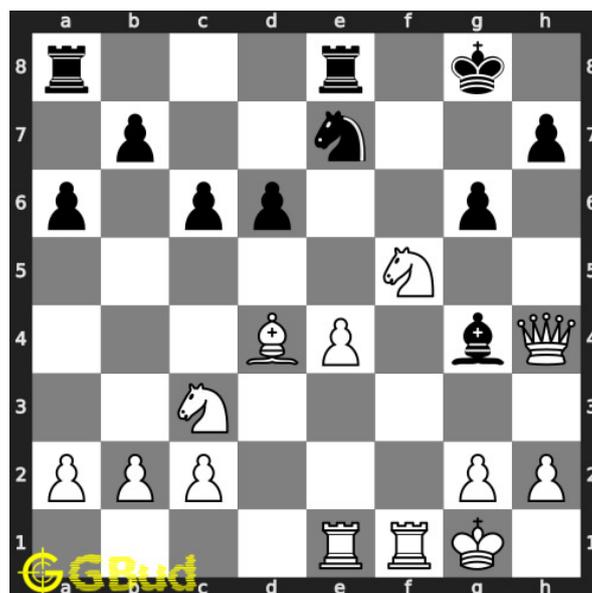


Figure 3: Initial board position of hard chess puzzle 0085

Move 1 Move by white

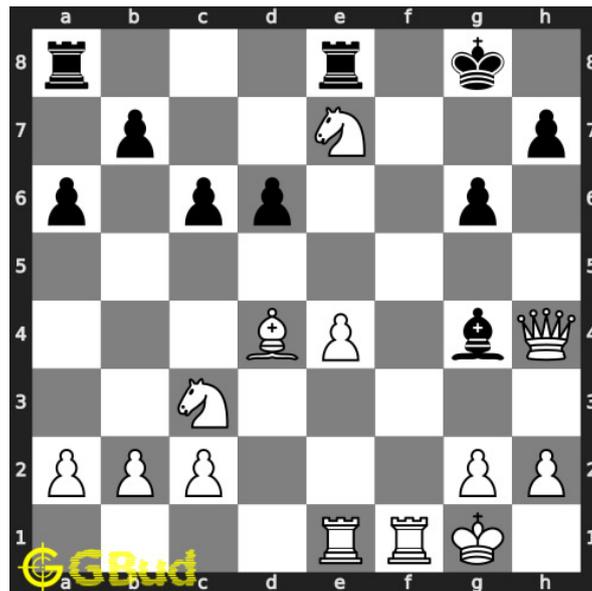


Figure 4: Nxe7+ - Your knight sacrifices itself to give check to opponent's king and opens the f file for the rook

Move 2 Move by black

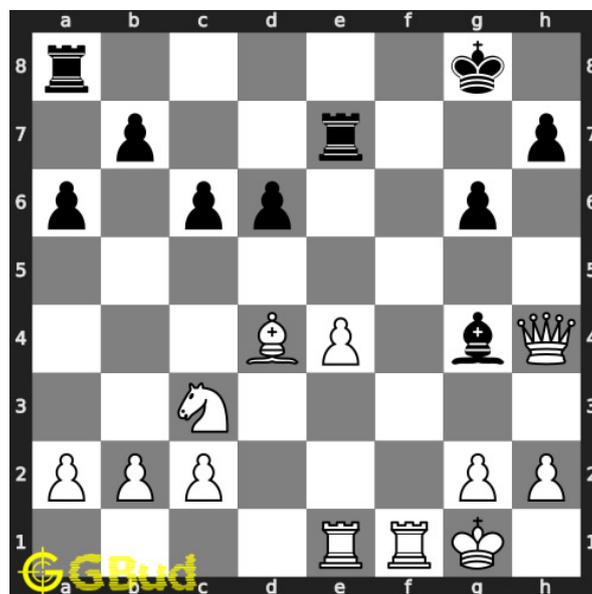


Figure 5: Rxe7 - This is a zugzwang move. Opponent's rook captures your knight as this is the only legal move available. King can not move due to the attack from your rook and bishop.

Move 3 Move by white

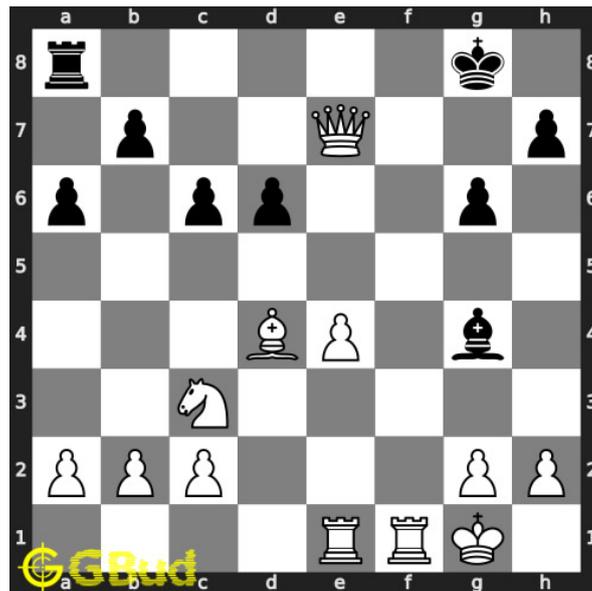


Figure 6: Qxe7 - Your queen captures opponents hanging rook. Your queen is getting ready to move to g7

Move 4 Move by black

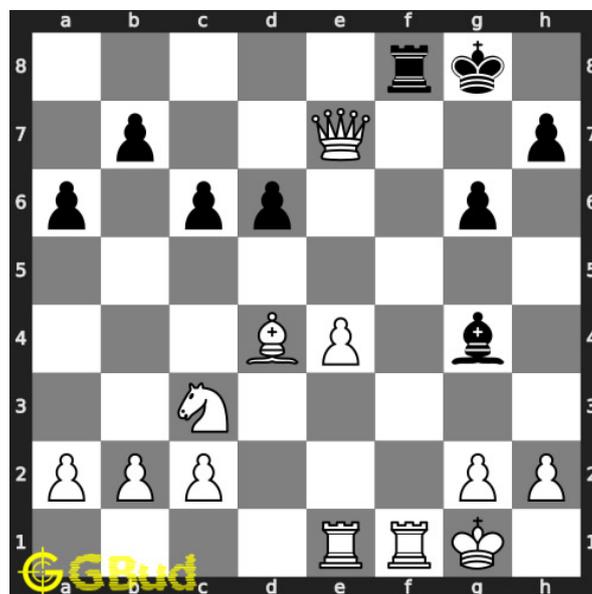


Figure 7: Rf8 - Opponent's rook is moving to h8 targeting your rook

Move 5 Move by white

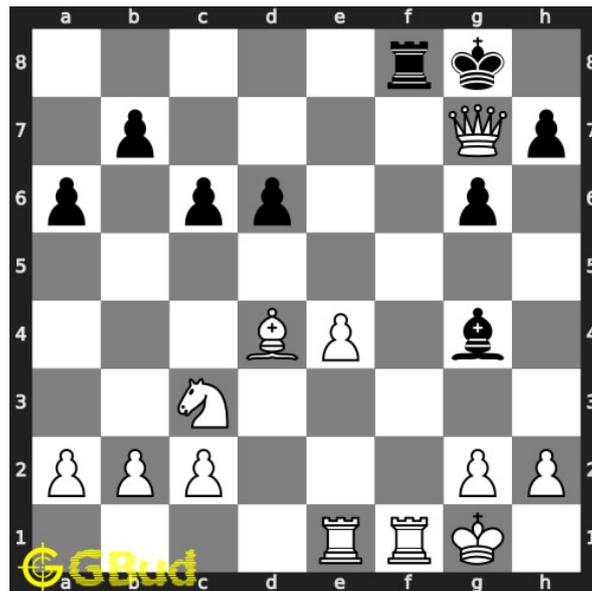


Figure 8: Qg7# - Your queen moves to g7 and checkmate. Opponent's king can't capture your queen since it is supported by bishop. This is called Damiano's bishop mate.. This is how you can mate in 3 moves.

Right moves for the solution to the hard chess puzzle 0085

Based on the objective of the puzzle, you have to make the right moves. Following are the right moves

1. Nxe7+, Qxe7, Qg7#

Explanation for the moves

1. Nxe7+ - Your knight sacrifices itself to give check to opponent's king and opens the f file for the rook
2. Rxe7 - This is a zugzwang move. Opponent's rook captures your knight as this is the only legal move available. King can not move due to the attack from your rook and bishop.
3. Qxe7 - Your queen captures opponents hanging rook. Your queen is getting ready to move to g7
4. Rf8 - Opponent's rook is moving to h8 targeting your rook
5. Qg7# - Your queen moves to g7 and checkmate. Opponent's king can't capture your queen since it is supported by bishop. This is called Damiano's bishop mate.. This is how you can mate in 3 moves.
6. For right move - With the right sacrifice of your knight you had a Damiano's bishop mate. It was a good strategy

7. For wrong move - You could have moved your queen to e7 to mate in 3 moves. Try again

Categories of hard chess puzzle 0085

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hard chess puzzle 0085 chart



Figure 9: hard chess puzzle 85 chart 1



Figure 10: hard chess puzzle 85 chart 2



Figure 11: hard chess puzzle 85 chart 3



Figure 12: hard chess puzzle 85 chart 4

How to view the solution to hard chess puzzle 0085

To view the [solution to this puzzle](#), follow the steps given below

1. Go to the [puzzle page](#)
2. Click the solution button (Key as shown [below](#)) to view the solution



Figure 13: Click the solution button to view solutions @ <https://gbud.in/gxg8983>

How to get help for moves in the hard chess puzzle 0085

To get help or the possible next moves in the puzzle, , follow the steps given below

1. Go to the [puzzle page](#)
2. Click the help button (exclamation mark as shown [below](#)) to get help or suggestion on next possible [move](#)



Figure 14: Click the help button to get help on next move @ <https://gbud.in/gxg8983>



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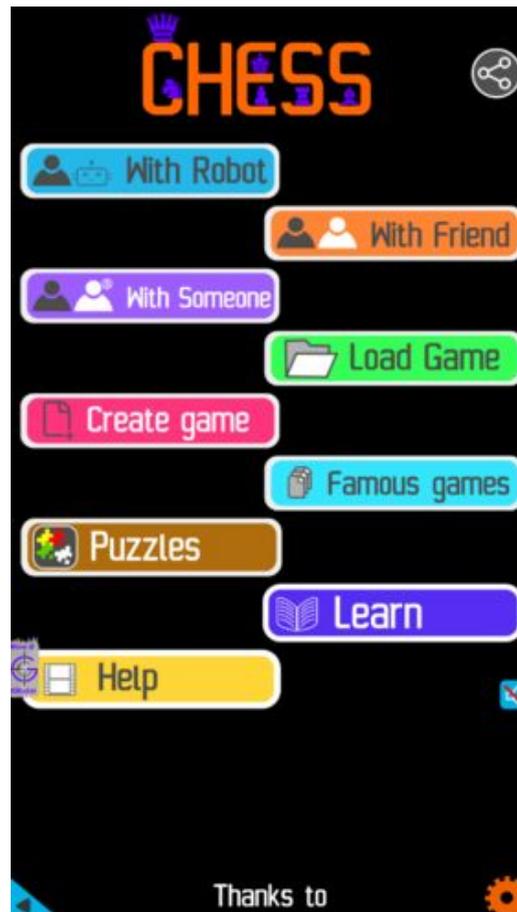


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