

DUEYEN LANPAO DAILY CHESS PUZZLE

PUZZLE NO. 1218

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1.e4 c5	2.Nf3 e6	3.d4 cxd4	4.Nxd4 a6	5.Nc3 b5
6.Bd3 Bb7	7.Qe2 Nc6	8.Nxc6 Bxc6	9.O-O Qb8	10.Bd2 Bc5
11.Kf1 Ne7	12.f4 b4	13.Nd1 O-O	14.Ne3 f5	15.exf5 Bxe3
16.Bxe3 Nxf5	17.Bc5 Rf6	18.Be4 Qb7	19.Bxc6 Qxc6	20.Bxb4 Qb6
21.Qf3 Rc8	22.Bc3 Rg6	23.Qf2 Qb7	24.Rad1 Nf3	25.Rxd7 Qxd7
26.Qxe3 Qd5	27.Qf3 Qxa2	28.Rd1 Qa4	29.g4 Rf8	30.Rf1 Qxc2
31.f5 exf5	32.Qd5+ Kh8	33. ...		

QUESTION :

White to win

Puzzle 1217 Solution :

35. ...Qxg3+ Opening the line from f5 to f1. **36. fxf3**
36.Kh1 Qxh4+

36. ...Rxf1+ The black rook captures White's rook, which was defending the square f2. **37. Kg2**
37.Rf2+ 38.Kh3 Rh1+ 39.Kg4 f5#David and Goliath mate

37. ...Rf2+ The black rook attacks White's king, which is defending the square h1. **38. Kh3 Rh1+ 39. Kg4 f5#** David and Goliath mate

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