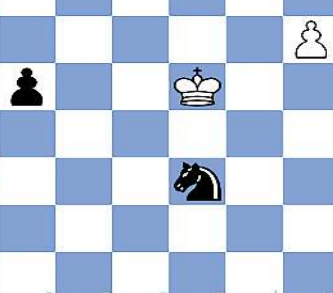


DAILY CHESS PUZZLE



PUZZLE NO. 949

Erwin L'Ami (2627) - Vidit Santosh Gujrathi (2716)
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1.d4 Nf6	2.c4 e6	3.Nc3 Bb4	4.Qc2 O-O	5.a3 Bxc3+
6.Qxc3 Nc6	7.e3 Re8	8.Ne2 d5	9.cxd5 Ne4	10.Qd3 exd5
11.f3 Nd6	12.Nf4 g5	13.Nxd5 Nf5	14.Nc3 Nfxd4	15.Kf2 Bf5
16.e4 Be6	17.Rb1 Bb3	18.Qd2 Re5	19.h4 g4	20.Qh6 Re6
21.Qg5+ Rg6	22.Qxd8+ Rxd8	23.h5 Re6	24.Bg5 f6	25.Be3 f5
26.fxg4 fxe4	27.Kg3 Ne5	28.Rh4 c5	29.Kh2 Bc2	30.Ra1 Bd3
31.Rd1 c4	32.Bxd4 Rxd4	33.g5 Nf7	34.g6 hxg6	35.hxg6 Ne5
36.Bxd3 cxd3	37.Nxe4 Kg7	38.Kg1 Rxxg6	39.Rf4 Na4	40.Ng3 Nxb2
41.Nf5+ Kh8	42.Rxd4 Nxd1	43.Rh4+ Kg8	44.Ne7+ Kg7	45.Nxxg6 Kxxg6
46.Rd4 Nb2	47.Kf2 b5	48.Ke3 a5	49.Rd6+ Kf7	50.Ra6 a4
51.g4 Nc4+	52.Kxd3 Nxa3	53.Rb6 Kg7	54.g5 Kh7	55.Ke4 Nc4
56.Ra6 a3	57.Kf5 Ne3+	58.Kf6 Ng4+	59.Kf7 Ne5+	60.Kf6 Ng4+
61.Kf5 Ne3+	62.Kf4 Nd5+	63.Ke5 Ne4	64.g6+ Kh6	65....

QUESTION :

White to win

Puzzle 948 Solution :

27. ...Rb8 28. Rxc6 Rxb2 29. Qxb2 Qxc6 Opening the line from b8 to b2. **30. Bxc6 Rxb2**

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