

Chapter 8

Vocabulary: Cut out the vocabulary words on the following page. Look for them while you are reading. When you find a word, copy the sentence from the book on the lines below.

parson: (n.) clergyman

elated: (v.) to be filled with joy

PARSON

ELATED

Short answer: Answer the following question based on what you read in Chapter 8.

Jesse and Miles have different feelings about being able to live forever. Describe how each feels about it.

How does Winnie feel in the company of the Tucks? Why do you think she feels this way?

Other than Winnie, who else learns the fantastic story about the spring?

*Did you meet any new characters in Chapter 8? If so, add them to your Character list on page 8.

Chapter 9

Vocabulary: Draw a line to the correct meaning of the word. Use the sentences below each word or a dictionary to help you.

reservoir:

(n.) Because there was very little rainfall, the *reservoir* for the city was very low.

a bowl with holes in the bottom and sides for draining liquids

colander:

(n.) When the spaghetti noodles were ready, my father dumped the noodles into the *colander* to drain the water.

a long wall or natural structure used to hold back water or hold up a roadway

embankment:

(n.) The driver lost control of the car and ran off the road down an *embankment*.

a place where a liquid is collected and stored for use

Short answer: Answer the following question based on what you read in Chapter 9.

How does Angus Tuck react when he meets Winnie Foster?

*Did you meet any new characters in Chapter 9? If so, add them to your Character list on page 8.

Chapter 10

Vocabulary: Using the vocabulary dictionary at the back of this book, write the definitions for these words from Chapter 10.

perilous

helter-skelter

Short answer: Answer the following question based on what you read in Chapter 10.

How do the Tucks earn a living?

How long have the Tucks lived in their home?

What do Jesse and Miles do the first week of August, every ten years?

*Did you meet any new characters in Chapter 10? If so, add them to your Character list on page 8.

Review Chapters 8-10

Dig Deeper: Select one of the following questions based on chapters eight through ten and write a response of three or more complete sentences.

- ❖ Describe how the Tuck home is different from the Foster home. Use examples from the story. Do these differences make Winnie comfortable or uncomfortable?
- ❖ Why do the Tucks regard eternal life as both a blessing and a curse?

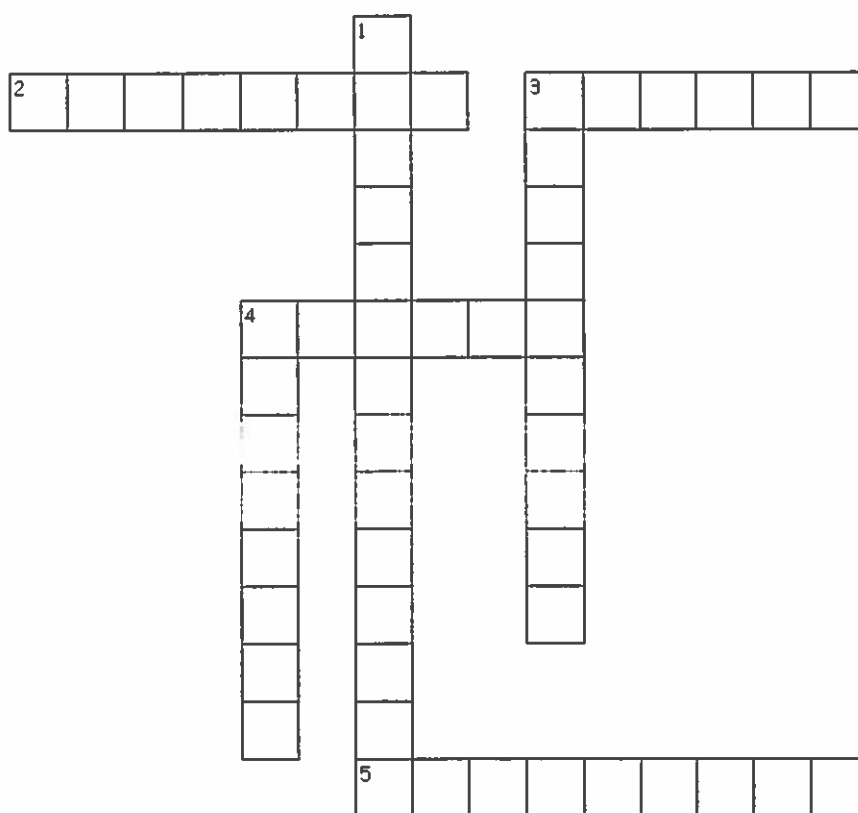
Puzzle: Use vocabulary words from chapters 8-10 to complete the puzzle.

Across

2. a bowl for draining liquids
3. to be filled with joy
4. clergyman
5. where a liquid is collected and stored

Down

1. in confusion or disorder
3. a long wall or natural structure used to hold back water or hold up a roadway
4. dangerous



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Review: Choose the best answer for the following items based on chapters 8, 9 and 10.

How do the Tucks make Winnie feel?

- ☐ Important
- ☐ Sad
- ☐ Angry
- ☐ Surprised

Whom does Winnie meet when she arrives at the Tuck's house?

- ☐ Jesse
- ☐ Angus
- ☐ Mae
- ☐ Miles

Which word best describes the Tucks' house?

- ☐ Neat
- ☐ Clean
- ☐ Disorganized
- ☐ Ordered

What do the Tucks do to make money?

- ☐ Make things to sell
- ☐ Bake
- ☐ Farm
- ☐ Teach

How often do Miles and Jesse come home to visit their parents?

- ☐ 5 years
- ☐ 20 years
- ☐ 15 years
- ☐ 10 years