

## Chapter 16

Using your book and a partner (optional), answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper.

1. What did Grant see as he was walking around the school yard at the beginning of the chapter?
2. What was discussed in the classroom regarding a "program"?
3. What was the "problem" with last year's Christmas tree?
4. What does Grant want all his class to remember?
5. What did Thomas want to tell Grant as Grant was looking over the sixth grade tests?
6. What did Miss Emma accuse Grant of doing? Is omitting or withholding information the equivalent to telling lies?
7. What did Miss Emma "have to do regarding Jefferson?
8. What question did Jefferson ask Miss Emma regarding the food she brought?
9. *Who* showed signs of hate for *who*?
10. What does Miss Emma keep crying (saying) after she tells the story of their visit
11. What does Miss Emma want Grant to do? Why Grant?
12. What does Grant say that Jefferson wants him to feel?
13. What actions does Grant try to persuade Tante Lou with?
14. What does Grant's comment, "I do everything I know how to do to keep people like him from going there (to prison) reveal about himself? (*What does it say about Grant?*)
15. Explain how the quote, "Am I my brother's keeper" pertain to Grant and what does say about Grant?
16. Benjamin Disraeli, Prime Minister of the United Kingdom (1804-1881), was quoted as saying:  
*"The greatest good you can do for another is not just to share your riches, but to reveal to him his own."*  
(1) Explain the quote, (2) provide an example outside the novel, (3) explain how the quote might pertain to the novel regarding the characters.

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Between the Monday when Grant talked to Miss Emma and Friday, what happened inside Grant?

On the bottom of page 125, what deputy is Grant talking about? What information does Grant give about him?

What are two of the questions that Grant asks the deputy?

What does the deputy tell Grant regarding getting "too close to Jefferson"? What does the deputy say his attitude will be regarding Jefferson?

What is Jefferson's day like as explained on page 127?

Who is Henry Martin?

What does Grant tell Jefferson with regard to Miss Emma

What does "vexing" mean?

What does Grant say that Vivian's role is regarding his visits?

After Jefferson humiliates Vivian, what does Grant want to immediately do?

What does Grant recognize in Jefferson's face (130)?

What does Jefferson do to the food bag that Miss Emma packed? Why does Jefferson do that?

After leaving Jefferson's cell, who wants to see Grant? How again does that person treat Grant?

Why did \_\_\_\_ who? \_\_\_\_ go visit the sheriff's wife?

What will be different about the visitation rules at the next visit? Regarding Jefferson? The visitors?