

Chapter 8

The Witch of Blackbird Pond

Directions: Read each question and choose the best possible answer.
Circle your answer and write the corresponding letter on the line.

- a 1. What field do Judith and Kit have to weed?
- ☒ a. An onion field
 - b. A potato field
 - c. A corn field
 - d. A green bean field
- b 2. What does Kit say made for an easier relationship with Judith?
- a. Being outside
 - ☒ b. The new plain and simple dress Kit wears
 - c. Teaching school
 - d. Sharing Chores
- d 3. Kit feels as if _____.
- ☒ a. The meadows claimed her.
 - b. The meadows call her home.
 - c. The meadows are fearful.
 - d. The meadows are a precious gift.
- b 4. "...nor could she know that never, in the months to come, would the Meadows break the promise they held for her at this moment, a promise of peace and quietness and of comfort for a troubled heart."
- What does this passage tell us?
- a. The meadows are rude.
 - ☒ b. Something is going to happen in Kit's life and cause Kit stress.
 - c. Kit is going to die.
 - d. Kit is going to become ill.
- a 5. What is the name of the widow that lives by Blackbird Pond?
- ☒ a. Hannah Tupper
 - b. Hannah Tanis
 - c. Helen Tupper
 - d. Helen Tanis

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- b 6. What do people say about the widow that lives by Blackbird Pond?
- a. She is greedy.
 - ☒ b. She is a witch.
 - c. She is mean.
 - d. She is a good person.

- d 7. What does Kit find strange about Judith weeding the onion-field?
- ☒ a. It seems out of character for Judith.
 - b. Judith is awful at weeding.
 - c. Judith loves to weed.
 - d. Judith is lazy.

- a 8. Who recommends that Kit help Mercy teach school?
- ☒ a. Dr. Bulkeley
 - b. Mercy
 - c. William Ashby
 - d. Nat Eaton

- j 9. Kit is excited over the idea that she might get to teach.
- a. Nervous
 - b. Solemn
 - c. Sour
 - ☒ d. Excited

- b 10. What does Kit learn about her Aunt and Uncle?
- a. They lost two daughters.
 - ☒ b. They lost two sons.
 - c. They are not liked in the community.
 - d. They are poor.