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Great Expectations Notes and Vocab 19-22

(Vocabulary Below the Notes)

Chapter 19

* In the next morning, Pip’s overall outlook is brighter.
* Pip would feel liberated when Joe burns his indentures.
* Pip feels superior to everyone.
* Pip speculates that the men who robbed him were probably dead by now.
* Pip ponders if Miss Havisham is grooming Pip for Estella.
* Pip falls asleep at the marsh.
* Pip tells Joe that he won’t forget him.
* Joe’s lack of emotion annoys Pip.
* Pip says he always wanted to be a gentleman.
* Joe says that he is very dull and only good at his job.
* Pip asks Biddy to improve Joe’s manners.
* The next day, Pip is in a good mood and is with Biddy.
* Pip goes to the tailor.
* Pip dresses in his clothes and goes to Miss Havisham’s manor.
* Pip tells Sarah Pocket that he wants to say goodbye to Miss Havisham.
* Miss Havisham says that he will always be called Pip.

Chapter 20

* Pip is afraid of London.
* Pip has thoughts that London is dirty.
* Mr. Wemmick – lawyer’s main clerk.
* Mr. Jagger doesn’t have any papers.
* Pip goes exploring around London and comes by a prison.
* Pip finds the hangings and whipping repulsive.
* Mike – the man who was waiting in Mr. Jagger’s office before he was kicked out.
* Pip stays with Matthew Pocket’s son at Barnard’s Inn.
* On Monday, Pip will go to Matthew Pocket’s house to be educated.

Chapter 21

* Mr. Wemmick is forever mourning.
* Pip notices the mourning rings that he wears.
* Pip asks Mr. Wemmick if London is bad.
* Mr. Wemmick replies in saying, you can find robbers and murderers anywhere.
* Pip thinks Mr. Wemmick dislikes Matthew Pocket.
* Pip finds Barnard Inn depressing.
* Barnard Inn reminds him of death, smells of rot.
* Mr. Pocket’s son says he will return soon.
* Pip decides that London’s reputation is not as good.

Chapter 22

* Mr. Pocket’s memory of the incident is different from Pip’s.
* Herbert Pocket is the boy’s full name.
* Miss Havisham invited Pocket to see if he would interest her.
* Herbert Pocket did not interest Miss Havisham.
* Herbert Pocket does not like Estella.
* Estella has been raised to take revenge on the opposite sex.
* Herbert Pocket says Mr. Jaggers is the only person who Miss Havisham trusts.
* Pip likes Herbert Pocket’s personality and easy manner.
* Miss Havisham’s mother died when she was a baby
* Miss Havisham’s father spoiled her.
* Miss Havisham’s father married his cook in secret and had a son.
* Miss Havisham’s father disinherited the son and Miss Havisham is now the main heir.
* On Miss Havisham’s wedding day, her fiancé calls the marriage off.
* She stops all of the clocks and falls ill.

Vocabulary

Audacious

“Mr. Trabb’s boy was the most audacious boy in all that countryside.”

Adjective – Very daring and unconventional.

“Mr. Trabb’s boy was the most bold boy in all that countryside.”

Amalgamation

“He mentioned that there was an opportunity for a great amalgamation…”

Noun – The process of uniting two or more things

“He mentioned that there was an opportunity for a great blend…”

Confectioner

“This guileless confectioner was not by any means sober…”

Noun – A person who makes or deals in sweets

“This guileless pastry cook was not by any means sober…”

Dilapidated

“…were in every stage of dilapidated blind and curtain...”

Adjective – In a state of disrepair and run down.

“…were in every stage of decaying blind and curtain...”

Acquiesced

“’No,’ he acquiesced.”

Verb – To accept

“’No,’ he complied.”