

Was it safe for Ruth and Charlie to travel to California on their own?
Why or why not?

Analyze

_____ Redding A-Z

By Hook or by Crook

How are Ruth and Charlie alike? How are they different?

Compare and Contrast

_ Reading A-Z



If you were Ruth or Charlie, would you have ridden the rails to California to live with your grandparents?
Why or why not?

Evaluate

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By Hook or by Crook

How would this story be different if it had been told from Charlie's point of view?

Character Point of View

Reading A-Z

By Hook or by Crook

How did the setting of the Great Depression affect the characters in this story?

Analyze Setting

Redding A-Z

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Why did the author write a fictional story about a real period in history?

Author's Purpose

Reading A-Z