

## Chapter Three: Where is Mrs. Hirsch?

Vocabulary – write what you think the words mean from context clues

unruly (p.20)

sarcastically (p.21)

swastika (p.21)

torment (p.24)

### Literal Questions

1. What did Annemarie realize about her friend Ellen after Peter's visit?
2. How did Annemarie know the Hirsch's were not gone on a holiday?
3. What items were being rationed? Why?

### Inferential Questions

1. What happened to Mrs. Hirsch?
2. Why did the girls always take a different route to school?
3. Explain the following sentence from p. 25 of the novel:  
"All of Denmark must be bodyguards for the Jews...." Annemarie said.

### Opinion Questions

1. Do you think the Jews were being treated fairly by the Germans? Why or why not?

## Chapter Four: It Will Be a Long Night

Vocabulary – write what you think the words mean from context clues

Sophisticated (p.27)

Disdainfully (p.29)

Fleet (p.32)

Synagogue (p.33)

### Literal Questions

1. How did the Germans find out the names of the Danish Jews?
2. Why was Kirsti upset when she and her mother returned from shopping? What was Ellen's solution to the problem?
3. What were the "booms and lights in the sky" on Kirsti's birthday?

### Inferential Questions

1. Why was the Tivoli Gardens important to the Danes of Copenhagen?
2. Why would Annemarie and Ellen need to pretend that they are sisters?

### Opinion Questions

1. Why do you think Annemarie lied when she said the shoes looked nice?
2. Do you think it was a good idea for the Johansen's to let Ellen stay with them? Explain your answer.

## Chapter Five: Who is the Dark-Haired One?

Vocabulary – write what you think the words mean from context clues

imperious (p.39)

contentedly (p.43)

rationed (p.43)

### Literal Questions

1. What was Annemarie told about the death of her older sister Lise?
2. Why did the German soldiers come to the Johansen's apartment looking for the Rosen's?
3. How did Mr. Johansen convince the German soldiers that Ellen was not a Jewish girl hiding?
4. How did the German soldiers show a lack of respect for the Johansens?

### Inferential Questions

1. Why was it important that Ellen remove her Star of David necklace?
2. Why had Mr. and Mrs. Johansen not looked at Lise's things since the accident?

### Opinion Questions

1. What do you think would have happened to the Johansen's if Ellen's true identity had been discovered?

## Chapter Six: Is the Weather Good for Fishing?

Vocabulary – write what you think the words mean from context clues

tentatively (p.50)

distorted (p.55)

exasperation (p.57)

### Literal Questions

1. Why were the girls kept home from school after the visit by the German soldiers?
2. What made Annemarie realize that her father was speaking in code to her uncle? What was their conversation really about?
3. Where did Mrs. Johansen, Annemarie, Kirsti, and Ellen travel? Why didn't Mr. Johansen go with them?
4. Compare the area around Uncle Henrik's farm in Gillelege to the Johansen's apartment in Copenhagen?

### Inferential Questions

1. Why was Annemarie worried when the soldiers questioned them on the train?
2. Why did they travel to Uncle Henrik's house?

### Opinion Questions

1. Why do you think the Danes spoke in code words?

## Chapter Seven: The House By the Sea

Vocabulary – write what you think the words mean from context clues

awe (p.60)

hazy (p.62)

appliqued (p.65)

### Literal Questions

1. What was the name of Uncle Henrik's boat and where did he get the name?
2. What did Annemarie do with Ellen's necklace?
3. Why did Mrs. Johansen tease her brother Henrik?

### Inferential Questions

1. What does the sea represent for Ellen and her family?
2. Why did Mrs. Johansen ask the girls if they saw anyone while playing near the shore?

### Opinion Questions

1. Why do you think there was no laughing between Mrs. Johansen and her brother as they sat down to talk?