

Accelerated Reader Quiz

Note to Teachers

Because this test is openly available on the Internet, – where your students could access it – it does not include an answer key. But, we have one and will send it to you in a secure way if you ask for it.

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1. Betsy and Tad are sent to Shaker Village because:
 - a. they've recently been orphaned
 - b. their parents are too poor to raise them
 - c. their farm was sold to a greedy banker
 - d. so they could get an education

2. Betsy's Ma was known in Perry County for:
 - a. using herbs from her garden to heal neighbors
 - b. teaching school
 - c. running a store
 - d. mending clothes for neighbors

3. Which is NOT true of the Shakers:
 - a. men and women had separate living quarters
 - b. they didn't talk during meals
 - c. fewer than 50 lived at Pleasant Hill when Betsy came
 - d. they danced wildly during worship services

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4. Grace's favorite place is:
 - a. Wash House to do laundry
 - b. Sisters' Shop with spinning, weaving, and dyeing chores
 - c. Meeting House for worship
 - d. Children's Dwelling House

5. Ruth made Betsy promise not to tell about her cough because:
 - a. others might make fun of her
 - b. the cough was better when she drank hot tea and honey
 - c. the Shakers might think she was contagious and make her leave
 - d. she got medicine from a boy she wasn't suppose to talk to

6. What unusual shape did Grace and Betsy make from bread dough?
 - a. praying hands
 - b. angel wings
 - c. a heart inside another heart
 - d. a blossoming tree with flower buds

7. How did Betsy get sleepy-head Grace up one chilly morning?
 - a. threw cold water on her
 - b. pulled the covers off her
 - c. yelled "fire!"
 - d. started a pillow fight

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8. What does Betsy learn about how Tad's adjusting to Shaker Village?
 - a. he's failing his math lessons
 - b. he's the champion at milking cows
 - c. all the boys pick on him
 - d. he's made lots of friends

9. What's Betsy's prayer promise if Ruth is rescued from the icy water?
 - a. she'll work extra hard in the Village
 - b. she'll give up her mother's hair comb
 - c. she'll go to confession
 - d. she'll study harder in school

10. What does Ruth NOT receive as a going away gift?
 - a. cabbage seeds from Grace
 - b. pocket knife from Tad
 - c. book from Emma
 - d. hair comb from Betsy