

Lesson Twenty-Seven - Worksheet

This lesson coincides with a diary entry dated September 15, 2019 from “Diary of Emotions: Thoughts and Feelings”. The purpose of this lesson is to analyze the author’s mother and identify the motive behind her actions.

Entry Date: September 15, 2019

Main Idea and Supporting Details

Place an “X” on the line beside the “main idea” of the story.

- _____ Grace feels grateful to have found her mother and knowing where she is.
- _____ Grace feels it would be best if she discontinues phoning her mother.
- _____ Geneva does not really enjoy being on the phone.

The four statements below “support” the main idea. Fill in the blanks with the correct word.

- (a) Grace does not feel like she should _____ her mother anymore.
- (b) She will continue to call her mother only on _____.
- (c) Geneva has been on her own for many years and Grace feels that she is _____.
- (d) Geneva likes receiving gifts and mostly _____.

Analyzing Character

What are the four things that Grace has understood about her mother from her actions?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Making Inferences and Drawing Conclusions

Based on the entry, which statement about Geneva is most likely true?

- (a) Geneva does not really want her family.
- (b) Geneva prefers to be alone, even though she enjoys receiving things.
- (c) Geneva does not care about hearing from Grace about her life.
- (d) Geneva only cares about money and gifts.

Character Trait Discussion

The Character Trait for Lesson Twenty-Seven is “appreciative”.

Appreciative means feeling or showing gratitude or pleasure.

Read the statement below. Then choose one of the questions below and answer it. Write your answer in the space provided then discuss it with your group.

Geneva is appreciative of Grace and her siblings caring for her even though she prefers to be alone.

1. Mention three things you are appreciative about right now, and explain why.
2. Do you think it is important to be appreciative of everything you have? Why or why not?
3. Have you ever been unappreciative of something until it went away? Explain.

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