

Chapter 1

1. At the start of the story, Littlest One wonders if she is some kind of animal. What two animals does she mention in Chapter 1?

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- 2. Use one word to describe Fastidious.
- 3. At the end of Chapter 1, Fastidious touches 3 photographs. What are they?
- 4. Name two reasons why Fastidious does not want to work with Littlest One.

Chapter 2

5. What are 4 reasons why the dog was all the old woman needed?

Chapter 3

- 6. List two activities that tire out the dream-givers when they are working.
- 7. Why did Thin Elderly offer to swap houses with Fastidious?





- 8. What is it about houses that is tiring for Fastidious?
- 9. What is Most Ancient's favourite joke?

Chapter 4

- 10. Name 4 items that the dream givers collect before they bestow.
- 11. What new skill was Fastidious trying to teach Littlest One in Chapter 4?

Chapter 5

- 12. What did the Old Woman say to her knee in Chapter 5?
- 13. What activity do the Old Woman and the dog do every single day?
- 14. What is the dog's name?

Chapter 6

- 15. What is one reason why someone might turn 'menacing'?
- 16. "Littlest One covered her mouth and stifled her own giggle." Why does Littlest One giggle?



- 17. Thin Elderly advises to "Never linger and press". Why does he say this?
- 18. A dream-giver bestows. A sinisteed

Chapter 7

- 19. What is the opposite of the command dissolve?
- 20. What is the best place of entry to give a dog a dream?
- 21. List the 6 steps involved in bestowing a dream.
- 22. What did the Old Woman dream about that night?

Chapter 8

- 23. What are two reasons why the Old Woman preferred a girl to a boy?
- 24. How old is the Old Woman?
- 25. What is one chore that the Old Woman wants to give to John when he arrives?



ANSWERS

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- 1. Dog and bat.
- 2. Impatient / short-tempered.

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- 3. A man in uniform, a baby grinning and an elderly woman with a stern look.
- 4. Littlest asks too many questions and she is also talkative.
- 5. They were growing old together
 - They were good friends to each other
 - The dog made her take walks
 - The dog gave her someone to talk to
- 6. Moving around and climbing things.
- 7. He felt that his assigned house was very spare and minimalist. It was too dull for him.
- 8. Stairs.
- 9. "Sweet dreams."



- 10. Memories
 - Colours
 - Hints of scents
 - Tiniest fragment of forgotten sound
 - Words once spoken

- Pieces of the past
- 11. To dissolve.
- 12. "Rusted and immobilised, I wish I could oil you."

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- 13. She would always walk her dog.
- 14. Toby.
- 15. They might have delved.
- 16. She was thinking about the kiss.
- 17. He does not want Littlest to do it as everything has a menacing side.

18. Inflicts.

19. Reintegrate.



20. Nose.

21. - Flutter Up

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- Hover
- Center
- Gather
- Aim
- Bestow

22. She became a girl and kissed a young soldier.

- 23. She thought a little girl would brighten the house
 - She thought that she could knit clothing for her

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- She thought that a little girl would love the flower garden
- She thought that she could teach a little girl how to bake cookies

24. 73 years old.

25. Feeding the birds.

