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THE GLORY FIELD

Section II: Comprehension Questions

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1. What land did the Lewis family acquire after the war between the North and South?
2. What do the blacks and whites have to learn after the war?
3. Who is Sukey?
4. How did Lem die and what did the Lewis family do with his body?

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5. What type of music does Abby want to play on the guitar and why does Grandma Saran object to it?
6. What type of reward is Mr. Turner offering to the person who finds his son, David? Why does the offer change when Elijah and Abby offer to go search?
7. On the bottom of page 102, why does Elijah feel like an "absolute man" for the first time?

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8. Who finds David on the island?
9. Why won't Foster let go of David? How much of the rescue money does Sheriff Glover offer to give to Elijah?
10. What information does *The Gazette* give about the rescue?

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11. What is "stuck money," and why don't most black people have it?
12. Why does Sheriff Glover come to the Glory Field?
13. What explanation does Grandpa Moses give for why Frank Petty and the other white men want to beat Elijah up?
14. Why does Grandpa Moses show Elijah the shackles? How are they part of the Lewis family history?
15. Why does Elijah have to sit on a crate in one of the boxcars on the train?