

Comprehension Menu

Chapter 3

Directions: Answer all the questions on separate paper.

Vocabulary words should be defined and added to vocabulary cards. Draw a picture. I write the dictionary definition, *and the part of speech.*

1. Summarize this chapter in two or three sentences.	4. Annemarie now says she is not sure whether she would die for King Christian or the Jewish people. What do you think has caused her to question this more than she did at age 7.
2. Once the Germans took over Denmark, the Danish people had to live without many necessities. List some of the ways that characters in the novel compensate for these losses. (For example, how do they keep warm?)	
3. Why does Peter visit this time? Why do Annemarie's parents want her to talk with Peter?	5. What do you predict has happened to the Hirsch family?
	6. Peter brings shells for the girls. Tell why the following simile is true: <i>Annemarie's life is like a seashell.</i>

Vocabulary: Chapter 2-3

solemn (13)	crocheting (14)	intricate (14)	intricate (14)
dawdled (18)	scampered (18)	rationed (18)	haughtily (19)
kroner (20)	unruly (20)	sarcastically (21)	swastika (21)
curfew (22)	tormenting (24)		

Name _____ Date _____

Read the paragraph and answer the questions.



King Christian X on his horse

Frederik VII, king from 1848 to 1863, gave up the absolute monarchy and presented Denmark with its first constitution in 1849. He lived by the words, "The people's love is my strength."

Danish royal blood can be found throughout Europe. In fact, during the reign of Christian IX, one of his daughters was queen of England and another was tsarina of Russia. A grandson was elected king of Norway and another was king of Greece.

The royal family has been quite "common." King Christian X loved riding his horse through downtown Copenhagen. He would often dismount and chat with his subjects. Christian never rode with any guards and always stopped for traffic lights. When he was seriously ill shortly before his death, the people in the street would stop and talk to his son, Prince Frederik, while he was shopping. They honestly wanted to know how his father was feeling.

1. Denmark is now a constitutional monarchy. When did Denmark get its first constitution? _____
2. Which king rode through the streets without body guards? _____
3. What does this say about the relationship between the king and the people of Denmark? _____