

CHAPTER-7 | The Last Leaf

QUIZ
PART-01

1. Who is the author of The Last Leaf?

- A. William Wordsworth
- B. O. Henry
- C. R. K. Narayan
- D. Mark Twain (B)

Explanation : The Last Leaf was written by O. Henry, whose real name was William Sydney Porter.

2. Where did Sue and Johnsy live?

- A. On the ground floor of a cottage
- B. On the first floor of a mansion
- C. On the third storey of an old house
- D. In a newly built apartment (C)

Explanation: Sue and Johnsy shared a small flat on the third storey of an old house.

3. What illness did Johnsy suffer from?

- A. Malaria
- B. Pneumonia
- C. Flu
- D. Typhoid (B)

Explanation: Johnsy fell seriously ill with pneumonia in November.

4. What did the doctor say about Johnsy's chances of recovery?

- A. She would recover with more medicines
- B. She needed a change of place
- C. Her recovery depended on her will to live
- D. She had no chance at all (C)

Explanation : The doctor told Sue that Johnsy would not recover unless she wanted to live.

5. How did Sue try to distract Johnsy from her illness?

- A. By playing music
- B. By talking about clothes and fashions
- C. By taking her outside
- D. By calling many friends (B)

Explanation: Sue tried talking about clothes and fashions, but Johnsy did not respond.

6. What was Johnsy doing while lying in bed?

- A. Reading novels
- B. Counting backwards while looking at the ivy creeper
- C. Sleeping continuously
- D. Writing letters (B)

Explanation: Johnsy lay still in bed, whispering numbers as she counted the falling leaves of the creeper.

7. What belief did Johnsy hold about the ivy creeper?

- A. Its flowers would cure her illness
- B. When the last leaf fell, she would die
- C. The creeper was poisonous
- D. The leaves brought her good luck (B)

Explanation: Johnsy believed her fate was tied to the creeper, and she would die when the last leaf fell.

8. How many leaves were left on the creeper when Johnsy started counting?

- A. About 20
- B. About 50
- C. About 5
- D. About 100 (C)

Explanation: When Johnsy began counting, there were only five leaves left on the creeper.

9. What did Johnsy refuse when Sue brought it to her?

- A. Medicine
- B. A blanket
- C. A bowl of soup
- D. A new painting (C)

Explanation: Johnsy refused to have soup, saying she was not hungry and wanted to watch the last leaf fall.

10. Whom did Sue decide to call as a model for her painting?

- A. The doctor
- B. Behrman
- C. A neighbor
- D. A young artist (B)

Explanation : Sue decided to call Behrman, who lived on the ground floor, to pose as a model for her painting.