

## CHAPTER-5 | On the Face of It

## QUIZ-01

1. Why does Mr Lamb warn Derry as he enters the garden?

- A. Because there are bees nearby
- B. Because the apples might fall on him
- C. Because he might trip on fallen crab apples
- D. Because the grass is slippery (C)

**Explanation:** Mr Lamb warns Derry about windfall crab apples in the long grass which could make him trip.

2. How did Derry get his facial disfigurement?

- A. He was burned in a fire
- B. He was attacked by an animal
- C. He had a birth defect
- D. Acid spilled on his face (D)

**Explanation:** Derry explains that acid spilled on one side of his face, eating it away and causing permanent damage.

3. What does Mr Lamb compare weeds and flowers to?

- A. Enemies and friends
- B. Apples and pears
- C. Just different types of growing life
- D. Beautiful and ugly things (C)

**Explanation:** Mr Lamb challenges the notion of weeds being undesirable by saying all growing things are life, like people.

4. Why does Derry say people are afraid of him?

- A. Because he behaves rudely
- B. Because of the way he looks
- C. Because he yells at everyone
- D. Because he talks to himself (B)

**Explanation:** Derry believes that people fear him because of his disfigured face and react with pity or discomfort.

5. What physical disability does Mr Lamb have?

- A. He is blind in one eye
- B. He has a tin leg
- C. He lost an arm in war
- D. He uses a wheelchair (B)

**Explanation:** Mr Lamb tells Derry that he has a tin leg because his real leg was blown off years ago.

6. Why does Derry say he doesn't like people?

- A. They are always talking behind his back
- B. They pretend to be kind
- C. They look at him with fear or pity
- D. They ignore him altogether (C)

**Explanation:** Derry expresses that people either pity him or fear him because of his appearance.

7. How does Mr Lamb describe the bees?

- A. Noisy and annoying
- B. Singing instead of buzzing
- C. Dangerous insects
- D. Scary when they swarm (B)

**Explanation:** Mr Lamb poetically says bees don't buzz, they hum, and their hum is a kind of singing.

8. What does Mr Lamb say would be worse than acid burning Derry's face?

- A. Losing both arms
- B. Being blind
- C. Burning away inside with hatred
- D. Living in isolation (C)

**Explanation:** Mr Lamb says emotional bitterness and hatred inside a person can be worse than physical injury.

9. What happens to Mr Lamb at the end of the play?

- A. He gets stung by bees
- B. He falls from the ladder and lies motionless
- C. He walks away silently
- D. He tells Derry to leave (B)

**Explanation:** Mr Lamb falls from the ladder while trying to pluck apples and lies silent on the ground when Derry returns.

10. What change is seen in Derry by the end of the play?

- A. He becomes more withdrawn
- B. He decides to leave home forever
- C. He shows courage and returns to Mr Lamb's garden
- D. He starts hating his mother (C)

**Explanation:** Derry defies his mother and runs back to Mr Lamb, showing a desire to change and live freely.