

Farewell to Manzanar by Jeanne Wakasuki Houston & James D Houston
Part 2 (pages 104-end) questions

Outings, Explorations

1. Describe Jeanne's 4th grade teacher.
2. What did the school kids do on weekends?
3. What were some of the recreation activities offered in the camp? Which was Jeanne's favorite? What others did she try?
4. What did Reiko and Mitsue tell Jeanne to do? Why did Mama say they were mean?
5. What attracted Jeanne to Catholicism? Why wouldn't Papa allow her to be baptized?

In the Firebreak

6. What caused Jeanne's family great anxiety in this chapter? How did it turn out?

Departures

7. Who from Jeanne's family left the camp? Why?

Free to Go

8. How did Jeanne's family react when they heard they were free to leave the camp?
9. What did Jeanne pray for? What was the result?
10. Why did Jeanne's family say, "See you in New Jersey" as each family member left camp?

It's All Starting Over

11. What was the downside of them having waited so long to return?
12. What was Papa's dream plan for when they return?
13. What finally forced the closing of the camp?

Ka-ke, Near Hiroshima: April 1946

14. Why did Woody's aunt in Japan take him to the cemetery?

15. What did Woody's visit to his relatives in Japan teach him about his father?

Re-Entry

16. How did the family get back to Long Beach?

17. What kind of reception did the returning refugees get? Was that what they expected?

18. Describe their new home?

19. How did they support themselves after their return to Long Beach?

A Double Impulse

20. What did the blond girl say after Jeanne read? How did that make her feel?

21. Who became Jeanne's friend? What activity did they pursue?

22. Why did Jeanne lose respect for her father?

The Girl of My Dreams

23. Who was the "girl of Jeanne's dreams"? How did these dreams make Jeanne feel?

24. What brought this family to San Jose?

25. What did Leonard Rodriguez do for Jeanne?

26. Why did Papa object to Jeanne being queen? What deal did he make to allow her to be queen?

Ten Thousand Voices

27. What things was Jeanne the first from her family to do?

28. What was left to be seen at Manzanar?

29. How did they locate Block 28?

30. One of Jeanne's final memories of the camp was of Papa buying the car for their return. Describe this situation.