

1. Write the 3 most important adjectives (or phrases) which describe Clara, and support your choices with evidence from the text. Write down page numbers for those incidents.
2. Give 6 examples of Clara's clairvoyance. Write down the page numbers where they appear.
3. List the 3 most important adjectives (or phrases) which describe Esteban, and support your choices with evidence from the text. Write down the page numbers.
4. Write down the 3 most important adjectives (or phrases) which describe Férula. Give examples from the text, with page numbers.
5. Re-read Esteban's speech about "Bolshevik ideas" and the behavior of peasants on pages 82-83. Summarize the ideas of this speech in 1-2 sentences. What aspects of this speech do you agree with? What aspects do you disagree with?
6. Who is Tránsito Soto (pp. 87-88)? Pay careful attention to her; she will re-appear at key points in the novel. Just from the short scenes described here, what can you say so far about her character or personality?
7. Rosa has now come and gone. What can you say about her personality? Choose 2 words to describe her, and support your choices with evidence from the text with page numbers.