

ANSWER KEY

Before Reading

Students' own answers

While Reading

Chapter 1

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| e | j | d | g | a | f | i | b | h | c |

Chapter 2

- | | | |
|-----------|-------------|-------------|
| 1. little | 6. large | 11. close |
| 2. true | 7. hot | 12. happy |
| 3. kindly | 8. too much | 13. young |
| 4. last | 9. white | 14. better |
| 5. rich | 10. far | 15. outside |

Chapter 3

1. T
2. F When Ernest looked at the **valley**, thoughts came to him.
3. F Mr Gathergold died **poor**.
4. T
5. T
6. F He was **getting tired** (bored) of the sound.
7. T
8. T
9. F The dinner was to take place in the **woods**.
10. F The general's chair came from **George Washington's** home.

Chapter 4

- | | |
|---------------|--------------|
| 1. valley | 7. beautiful |
| 2. better | 8. mountains |
| 3. newspapers | 9. statesman |
| 4. instrument | 10. likeness |
| 5. kings | 11. child |
| 6. valley | 12. settle |

Chapter 5

1. The years made wrinkles across his forehead and in his cheeks.
2. Ernest never left the valley.
3. Professors and great city men to talk with him.
4. Ernest talked about the feelings which lay deepest in his heart on in the hearts of those who came to visit him.
5. The poet wrote a song about the Great Stone Face.
6. God sent the poet into his world to sing of the world and make it better.
7. Ernest sat on the bench by the door of his cottage when he read the songs of the poet.
8. Ernest asked the Great Stone Face if the poet was not the great man who will come.

Chapter 6

1. (i) One summer morning the poet took a train to the valley.
2. (e) When the poet arrived in the valley, he asked at once where Ernest lived.
3. (j) When he arrived at Ernest's house, the poet asked him if he could stay with him for the night. Ernest said that he could.
4. (a) The poet sat down on the bench next to Ernest, and they talked together.
5. (f) Ernest asked the poet who he was, and the poet answered that he knew already because he had read his book.
6. (d) Ernest was disappointed that the poet did not have the likeness of the Great Stone Face.
7. (h) As the sun went down Ernest and the poet walked to the place where Ernest often spoke to his neighbours.
8. (b) Ernest began to speak and the poet listened.
9. (k) The poet raised his arms over his head and shouted: "Look! Look! Ernest is himself the likeness of the Great Stone Face!"
10. (g) All the people looked. They saw that what the poet said was true. The great man had come.
11. (c) Ernest still hoped that a wiser and better man would come, bearing the likeness of the Great Stone Face.

After Reading

Character Analysis

Students' own answers

Wordsearch

| | | | |
|------------|------------|----------|--------|
| cottage | gold | shoulder | gather |
| mountain | kind | tongue | coins |
| stone | soldier | elbow | sword |
| valley | statesman | chair | echo |
| farm | newspaper | image | pope |
| woods | likeness | railway | dust |
| hills | diamond | carriage | music |
| nature | furniture | beauty | settle |
| forehead | bedroom | waves | cheek |
| nose | servant | angel | poet |
| lips | outside | dinner | idea |
| forefather | wisdom | pearl | tear |
| born | thought | ship | dream |
| neighbour | trumpet | furs | |
| shop | instrument | drum | |
| true | wrinkle | bless | |