

Splat John Steinbeck: Questions

Question	Answer
What are the names of the two main characters in Of Mice and Men?	George and Lennie
What was the name of Lennie's Aunt?	Clara
Why did Lennie and George run away from Weed?	Lennie was accused of Rape because he touched a girls dress and tore it.
What is George's excuse for Lennie's behaviour?	He was kicked in the head by a horse.
What sort of things does Lennie like to touch?	Soft Things
What animal does Steinbeck use to describe Lennie?	Bear
What does Lennie do when he panics: Get angry, Violent or Scared?	Violent
Which of these words best describes Carlson: Tactless, Angry, Moody, Hungry	Tactless
Why doesn't anyone like Curley?	Because he is mean and aggressive
What dreams does Curley's Wife have?	To become and actress
How do you think Lennie sees George?	As a bigbrother
Who Said: “Ok Machine, I will talk to you later. I like Machines”	Curley's Wife
Who Said, “You hadda do it George, I swear you hadda”	Slim
Who Said, “Maybe you can see now You got George, you know he's coming back. Suppose you didn't have nobody. Supposed you couldn't go into the bunk house and play rummy cause you was black”	Crooks
Who Said, “We can't sleep with him stinkin around inhere”	Carlson

Who Said, We're gonna have rabbits and berrie patch”	Lennie
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Questions on Chapter 1

Where is Of Mice and Men set?	California
When is Of Mice and Men set?	Depression Era (1930's)
Where is Chapter 1 set?	A pool/pond on the Salinas River
What does George Find Lennie petting in Chapter 1?	A dead mouse
What is Lennie and George's dream?	To own their own farm and “Live of the fatta the lan”
Why is George angry at Lennie?	Because Lennie lost them their job in Weed.

Questions on Chapter 2

What is a Swamper?	A handyman
Where does Chapter 2 take place?	In the bunkhouse
Why was the boss angry with Lennie and George?	Because they were late and had missed the morning shift.
Who is Curley and what is he like?	He is the Bosses son and he is aggressive and mean
What are the names of the other ranch hands?	Slim, Carlson, Candy, Whit
How does Lennie describe Curley's Wife	“Perty”
How does George describe Curley's Wife?	Tramp, Jail bait, Rat trap
Who is in charge of the Ranch Hands	Slim

Questions on Chapter 3

What happens between Curley and Lennie?	Curley attacks Lennie and Lennie crushes his hand.
Who kills Candy's dog?	Carlson
Who does George confide in about what happened in Weed?	Slim
What was the name of the Brothel that the workers go to on a Saturday night?	Suzy's
How does George describe Lennie when talking to Slim	A kid who is too strong
Who joins Lennie and George in their dream?	Candy

Questions on Chapter 4	
Where does chapter 4 take place?	Crooks Room
Who is in Crooks room?	Crooks, Candy and Lennie
Where is everyone else?	In Town
What doe the men talk about?	The dream to own their own farm
Who interrupts the men?	Curley's Wife
What does she mean when she says she could get Crooks “strung up so fast it ain’t even funny”	That because crooks is black she could accuse him of anything and it would lead to hi being hanged.
Questions on Chapter 5	
Where does Chapter 5 take place?	In the Barn
What has Lennie done to his puppy?	Killed it
Who finds Lennie with the Puppy?	Curley's Wife
How did Lennie kill Curley's Wife?	Broke her neck
Who found the body?	Candy
What does George plan to do about the situation?	Kill Lennie before the others find him
Questions on Chapter 6	
Where does George find Lennie?	By the pool on the Salinas River
What does George do to Lennie when he finds him?	Comforts him before shooting him in the head.
Who comforts George after he killed Lennie?	Slim
Who Said, “I dunno whats eating him”	Carlson