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CLASS - III
English Course Book
Ch-7 (Q14)



Q1 What did Rachel notice about the house on the other hill the first time she spotted it?

Ans. The first time she spotted the house on the other hill, Rachel noticed that it had shiny golden windows.

2. What did Rachel wish for with all her heart?

Ans. Rachel wished with all her heart to live in a house with golden windows such as the one she saw on the other hill.

3. Why was Rachel surprised when she looked at the house up close?

Ans. Rachel was surprised when she looked at the house up close because she realized that all the windows of the house were plain and not golden at all.

4. Which was the house with the golden windows that Rachel found in the end?

Ans. The house with the golden windows that Rachel found in the end was her own.

Then her eyes followed the path leading to the house and stopped at the house itself. To her complete surprise, she realized that all the windows of the house were plain and not golden at all!

Rachel was so sad that she did not go past the gate. She turned away to go back home. She felt very upset. As she got on her bicycle, she glanced up and saw a sight that amazed her – there on her side of the valley was a little house with golden windows! Its windows glittered like gold as the sun shone on her home.

• How did Rachel's house look to her from across the valley?

She realized then that she had been living in her own golden house. It was the love and care she had there that made her home a 'golden house'. Everything she wished for had been right there all along!

adapted from a story by Roger Darling

glanced - take a quick (look quickly) look

Word Meanings

- with all her heart completely
- up close from a close distance
- glittered shone

Comprehension

A. Tick (✓) the correct sentences.

1. a. Little Rachel lived on a small hill.
- b. Little Rachel lived on a beautiful hill.
2. a. When she got taller, she could see the plants and trees around her.
- b. When she got taller, she could see over the garden fence.
3. a. When she got older, her parents let her play outside the garden.
- b. When she got older, her parents let her look after the garden.
4. a. She rode her bicycle till the gate of the other house.
- b. She rode her bicycle till the windows of the other house.

Vocabulary

E. Read these words

Circle the words that are the same in the words.

1. spotted - saw
2. close by - near
3. allowed - let
4. sad - unhappy
5. complete - finished
6. amazed - surprised

B. Answer these questions.

1. What did Rachel notice about the house when she spotted it?
2. What did Rachel wish for with the house?
3. Why was Rachel surprised when she saw the house?
4. Which was the house with the golden windows?

C. Read these lines and answer the questions.

1. They were so shiny! And so bright.
 - a. What were shiny?
 - b. What did Rachel dream of?
2. The day was beautiful and bright.
 - a. Who was the little girl?
 - b. How was she going to the house?
3. As she got on her bicycle, she saw a sight that amazed her.
 - a. What was the sight?
 - b. How was she feeling?

D. Discuss in class.

Rachel's house and the house with the golden windows. Do you agree? Why?

B. Answer these questions.

1. What did Rachel notice about the house on the other hill the first time she spotted it?
2. What did Rachel wish for with all her heart?
3. Why was Rachel surprised when she looked at the house up close?
4. Which was the house with the golden windows that Rachel found in the end?

C. Read these lines and answer the questions.

1. *They were so shiny! And so, Rachel would dream . . .*
 - a. What were shiny?
 - b. What did Rachel dream about?
2. *The day was beautiful and the little girl knew exactly where she was going.*
 - a. Who was the little girl and where was she going?
 - b. How was she going there?
3. *As she got on her bicycle, she glanced up and saw a sight that amazed her.*
 - a. What was the sight that amazed her?
 - b. How was she feeling before this?



D. Discuss in class.

Rachel's house and the house with the golden windows were not very different. Do you agree? Why?

Vocabulary

E. Read these words from the story.

Circle the words that mean the same in the wordsearch.

1. spotted - saw
2. close by - Neare
3. allowed - Let
4. sad - Unhappy
5. complete - Total
6. amazed - Astonished

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Q A, Q E → Do in book