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The Ghost of Northumberland Strait

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Chapter Fourteen – Reading Comprehension Questions:

1. “I shift my weight from my left foot to my right and suddenly, I don’t know what to do with my hands hanging at my sides.” (page 104) Why is Charly acting this way?

- a. Her feet are itchy.
- b. Her feet are cold.
- c. She feels awkward.
- d. She feels comfortable.

2. Where does Charly lose her glasses in this chapter?

- a. in the nursery
- b. in the sweater Katherine lends her
- c. on the kitchen counter
- d. in the backyard near the well

3. On page 106, Charly admits to herself that she doesn’t know how _____ works around Katherine O’Leary’s plane of existence. Which of the following choices would **best** fit in the blank?

- a. time and life
- b. life and death
- c. time, death and horses
- d. time, death and life

4. On page 102 Katherine asks about Grammie: “Is she funny?” What does Charly think Katherine means by this at first?

- a. strange
- b. humorous
- c. a comedian
- d. a good story-teller

5. What’s a sideboard?

- a. a floorboard
- b. a piece of living room furniture that holds books
- c. a piece of dining room furniture that holds linens
- d. a piece of bedroom furniture that holds toys