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Chapter 15–Afterword

1. What is the best synonym for **exasperated** based on the sentence below?

“Annemarie gave an exasperated sigh. ‘Could I go now, please?’ she asked impatiently.”

- a. frustrated
- b. confused
- c. unsure



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- a. She replied politely and respectfully.
 - b. She replied in a quiet and frightened voice.
 - c. She replied rudely and disrespectfully.
 - d. She replied in a confused and uncertain manner.
3. What is the meaning of **implored** as it is used in the sentence below?

“Please, please, she implored in her mind. Don't lift the napkin.”

- a. ignored
- b. laughed quietly
- c. spoke in a loud voice
- d. asked or begged urgently

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Use the quote below and your knowledge of the word **caustic**.

"He gestured with the folded white cloth and gave a short, caustic laugh."

- a. kind and friendly
- b. sharp and hurtful
- c. loud and cheerful
- d. quiet and nervous



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- a. soft
- b. distant
- c. harsh
- d. pleasant

6. What does the word **concealed** mean in the sentence below?

"The hiding places are carefully concealed, and often we pile dead fish on the deck as well."

- a. hidden from sight
- b. brightly painted
- c. easy to find
- d. carefully cleaned

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7. What is the meaning of **devastating** as it is used in the sentence below?

"But Annemarie forced herself to think of her redheaded almost-brother, and how devastating the day was when they received the news that Peter had been captured and executed by the Germans in the public square at Ryvangen, in Copenhagen."

- a. unexpected
- b. causing great confusion
- c. causing excitement



- a. killed by someone as a punishment for a crime
- b. sent away to another country
- c. given a warning
- d. released from prison

9. What is the best definition of **integrity** as it is used in the sentence below?

"I had always been fascinated and moved by... the courage and integrity of the Danish people under the leadership of the king they loved so much, Christian X."

- a. being loud and outspoken
- b. being honest and doing what is right
- c. being brave
- d. showing fear in danger

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