

Questions – Chapter 20, 21, 22, 23
***The Giver* by Lois Lowry**

Please answer the following questions using full sentences:

Chapter 20

- Why would Fiona, a trainee in the care of the old, probably accept the practice of releasing the old?
- Why was The Giver now ready to make a plan for change?
- Why would Jonas's departure from the community lead to possible change?
- Why did The Giver decide to stay behind to help the community?
- Why did Jonas and The Giver choose the December Ceremony as the time to implement their plan?
- How did Father's sweet, sing-song voice affect Jonas on their last evening together?

Chapter 21

- Why did Jonas' father vote to have Gabriel released?
- What would have happened to Jonas and Gabe if the searchers found them?
- In what way was Jonas handicapped by his early departure?
- How was Jonas able to use memories to foil the search planes?

- Name two other ways that memories helped Jonas during the journey?

Chapter 22

- What is so significant about the birds and the deer?

Chapter 23

- What might have been the source of the music that Jonas thought he heard behind him?
- Why do you think Lowry ended the story as Jonas was traveling toward his destination?
- List two questions that the author left unanswered at the end of the book.
- Did you approve of the ending?