

Hatchet - Survival and Self-Discovery

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Understanding Brian's Challenges

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Answer the following questions based on the first three chapters of *Hatchet*.

1. What is one internal conflict Brian faces in the story?

- A. His fear of the wilderness
- B. His emotional pain from his parents' divorce
- C. His struggle to find food

2. How does Brian's emotional state affect his survival skills during the plane crash?

3. The verse from Psalm 34:18 reminds us that God is near to those who have a ___ heart.

4. Brian feels completely alone after the plane crash.

- True False

5. Which scripture verse encourages strength and courage?

- A. Psalm 34:18
- B. Joshua 1:9
- C. Proverbs 3:5

6. What are some ways Brian can maintain hope during his difficult situation?

7. Brian's biggest challenge in these chapters is dealing with the emotional pain caused by his parents' ___ .

8. Brian experiences more external conflicts than internal conflicts in the beginning of the story.

- True False

9. What emotion does Brian feel during the plane crash?

- A. Excitement
- B. Fear
- C. Joy

10. How can we help others who are going through challenging times, like Brian?

Answer Key

1. His emotional pain from his parents' divorce 2. Brian's emotional pain makes it hard for him to focus, but he has to push through to survive. 3. broken 4. False 5. Joshua 1:9 6. Brian can remember his family, focus on his survival skills, and trust that help will come. 7. divorce 8. False 9. Fear 10. We can listen to them, offer support, and remind them that they are not alone, just like God supports us.