

TEACHER'S GUIDE

Part 2: "A Little Light"

Review Questions

MISSION US: "No Turning Back"

Name: _____

Date: _____

Directions: After you play Part 2: A Little Light, select the best answer for the following multiple-choice questions.

1. What protest campaign does Robert write to Verna about?
 - a. A march at Tougaloo College
 - b. The Freedom Rides
 - c. Sit-ins at the Jackson library
 - d. A hunger strike at the Mississippi State Penitentiary
2. What does Robert hope President Kennedy will do?
 - a. Increase freedom at home for African Americans
 - b. Push for new legislation to provide voting rights
 - c. He'll remove the local sheriff from office
 - d. He'll give a major speech about it on national television
3. How does Addie think about working at the Chalmers house?
 - a. She thinks the work is worth the money she's paid.
 - b. She thinks the work is too hard.
 - c. She doesn't like the way Mrs. Chalmers makes her feel invisible.
 - d. She likes the work but thinks the music is awful.
4. What does Verna find in the Chalmers dining room?
 - a. Flyers on the Citizens' Council agenda
 - b. Voter registration forms
 - c. Kennedy campaign flyers
 - d. Notes for a speech Judge Chalmers is writing
5. What does Mrs. Chalmers ask Verna about?
 - a. If she is on the debating team.
 - b. If she would like to go to the white high school.
 - c. What she thinks about the Freedom Riders
 - d. If she baked the pie by herself.

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 - a. She knew Verna was feeling put on the spot.
 - b. She did not want Verna to jeopardize her job.
 - c. She feared Verna might say something that would anger Mrs. Chalmers
 - d. All of the above

 7. Where does Miss Annetta invite Verna to go in order to meet more people fighting for civil rights in Greenwood?
 - a. A girl scouts meeting
 - b. A NAACP meeting
 - c. The roller rink
 - d. A church fundraiser

 8. What real-life civil rights figure does Verna meet at the Wednesday night meeting?
 - a. Malcolm X
 - b. Martin Luther King, Jr.
 - c. Stokely Carmichael
 - d. Medgar Evers

 9. What does the NAACP meeting leader ask Verna to do?
 - a. Help organize a youth group
 - b. Start planning a sit-in
 - c. Boycott any store that does hire African Americans
 - d. Think about running for political office

 10. Why does Uncle Curtis fire Miss Annetta as the youth Choir director?
 - a. Her singing voice is not very good.
 - b. She has been late for choir practice too often.
 - c. He thinks her NAACP work puts the church in danger
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