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### **Chapter Twenty-Three – Reading Comprehension Questions:**

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  - d. ready for supper
  
2. Which of the following is a synonym for the word "miniscule"?
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  - b. very large
  - c. very worrisome
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3. What is Jason doing at the house on Northumberland Strait?
  - a. installing a new door
  - b. improving the wiring
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  - d. replacing the furnace
  
4. When Charly narrates this: "Some of life's little pleasures are impossible to resist," what is she referring to?
  - a. drying dishes
  - b. eating supper
  - c. teasing her mom
  - d. doing homework
  
5. What is the shock that Grammie gets at the end of this chapter?
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### **Chapter Twenty Three – Responsive Journaling Questions:**

1. By the end of this final chapter, Charly and her family are still fixing up the house on Northumberland Strait. Do you think they'll ever move in to it? Why or why not?

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2. At the start of this chapter, Charly's mom feels like the mess Victoria left is all her fault. Do you ever feel guilty for situations over which you have no control? For example, do you feel guilty that you were born in a safe country like Canada when other kids were born in war-torn countries? Does it ever help to feel guilty?

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3. In this chapter, Charly alludes twice to things she chooses to accept because she is not able to change them. List three things below that you cannot change and that would benefit you to accept:

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### Chapter Twenty-Three – Word Search Vocabulary:

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W C L H O J S F E V A V G Y S G Q P Q  
P V A H I U G E C V L O D X D L B D H  
Z W Y X T A N H T S U B I S N Q E S G  
V N G D A N N L R A I R R S L Z I C J  
K F R A S O O I F W I Y B G I M U Q V  
R H O S N N N T G K M T N N D R U S X  
O H U A E C C H A A E D O G S P F N A  
W G N N D H O G K J N G I G P J I O E  
E H D T N A M U E I A C T W E V B I U  
M G H I O L M O I A W I A V L N R T G  
O O C C C A I H F X J D R C W Z E A O  
H R R S Y N T T L N A A E I P E G L L  
R G C T H T T R Y J U X D V L T L U A  
T E M G S L A E G J S M E Y K B A B T  
Q O D B F Y L T Z Y Z J F A A B S I A  
G U N C O A Y F U S R V N V G L S R C  
G S J J B Y A A T E A T O W E L Y T G  
J H S D N R E I R R A B C P R M H B U

AFTERTHOUGHT

AGONIZED

ANTICS

BARRIER

CATALOGUE

CONDENSATION

CONFEDERATION BRIDGE

FIBREGLASS

GORGEOUS

HOMEWORK

NEGOTIATES

NONCHALANTLY

NONCOMMITTAL

PLAYGROUND

TEA TOWEL

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