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Chapters 1-9 Study Questions

DIRECTIONS: Answer all of the following in 1-3 complete sentences.

Chapter 1

1. What is the setting of the first part of the story?
2. What does Jonathan Harker find waiting for him when he arrives at the Golden Krone Hotel?
3. Why does the hotel landlady beg Jonathan not to continue his journey?
4. What does the landlady of the hotel give Jonathan Harker for protection against evil?
5. How does Jonathan Harker describe the driver that meets him at the Borgo Pass?
6. What does Jonathan find strange about his carriage ride to Castle Dracula?
7. During Jonathan Harker's ride to Castle Dracula what is "all so strange and uncanny that a dreadful fear came upon [him]?"

Chapter 2

1. What is it about the caleche driver that seems to make the biggest impression on Jonathan Harker?
2. Describe the man who greets Jonathan Harker at Castle Dracula.
3. Who are the "children of the night?"
4. What does Jonathan Harker notice is absent from every room he enters in the castle?
5. What does the Count want Jonathan Harker to teach him while at Castle Dracula?
6. What is Jonathan Harker's occupation, and what is his purpose for coming to Transylvania?
7. When Jonathan Harker looks in his shaving mirror, what peculiar thing does he notice about the Count?
8. What surprises Jonathan Harker when he tries to explore the outdoor grounds of Castle Dracula?

Chapter 3

1. Describe Jonathan Harker's thoughts after he discovers the Count laying the table in the dining room.
2. Count Dracula claims to be the ancestor of what famous warrior?
3. What does the Count warn Jonathan not to do when he is alone at night?
4. Describe the way Jonathan Harker sees the Count leave the Castle.
5. Jonathan Harker falls asleep in the parlor. What does he see upon waking?
6. Describe the Count's reaction to finding the women with Jonathan Harker.
7. What does Jonathan Harker believe he hears coming from the bag the Count had thrown to the floor?

Chapter 4

1. What happens to the women and the bag?
2. The Count instructs Jonathan to write three letters home. What is the content of these letters?
3. Jonathan attempts to send letters home without the Count reading them. What happens to the letters?
4. What does Jonathan discover upon waking on 31 May?
5. What do the Slovaks deliver to the castle?
6. When Count Dracula leaves the castle on 24 June, what does Jonathan Harker notice?
7. Jonathan goes to the window when he hears the agonizing cry of a woman. What does she yell upon seeing Jonathan's face in the window?
8. What happens to the woman as she continues to bang on the door of the Count's castle?
9. Jonathan decides to climb the wall of the castle into the Count's room. Describe what Jonathan Harker discovers in the Count's room.
10. Jonathan tells the Count that he wants to leave the night of 29 June, but he suddenly changes his mind. Why?
11. What does Jonathan Harker find when he goes back to the Count's room to look for a key to the door?

Chapter 5

1. What is the relationship between Mina Murry and Jonathan Harker?
2. What kind of an institution does Dr. John Seward run?
3. From whom did Lucy receive marriage proposals?
4. Identify Quincey Morris.
5. Which of the marriage proposals does Lucy accept?
6. Describe the patient who seems to be of most interest to Dr. Seward.

Chapter 6

1. What does the old man that Mina and Lucy meet claim about the tombstones in the cemetery?
2. Describe Renfield's systematic way of collecting lives.
3. What unusual thing does Renfield eat? Why?
4. What odd, recent behavior of Lucy is disturbing to Mina?

Chapter 7

1. Describe the mysterious schooner's entrance into the harbor.
2. What is discovered on board the mysterious schooner?
3. What is the name of the schooner, and where did she come from?
4. What is the only living thing on the ship?

5. According to the captain's addendum to the ship's log, what happened to the men on the ship?
6. Describe what the captain saw on the last night aboard ship.
7. What happens to the old man who had befriended Mina and Lucy?

Chapter 8

5. On August 11th what does Mina discover when she awakens in the night?
6. What does Mina see in the moonlit churchyard when she goes looking for Lucy?
7. What is Mina most concerned about for Lucy's sake as they walk home from the churchyard?
8. What makes Mina think that she pricked Lucy accidentally with a safety pin?
9. On the night of August 13th what does Mina see outside the window?
10. On August 14th Mina and Lucy notice a dark figure seated alone in the cemetery just before sundown.
What is it about his appearance that startles Mina?
11. On August 18th what change does Mina begin to notice in Lucy?
12. What news does Mina receive that makes her both joyful and anxious at the same time?
13. What changes are taking place in Renfield?
14. Describe Renfield's escape and return.

Chapter 9

1. How does Mina describe Jonathan in her letter to Lucy?
2. What request does Jonathan make of Mina regarding his notebook?
3. Where were Mina and Jonathan married?
4. What does Mina do with Jonathan's notebook?
5. What daily pattern has developed in Renfield since Dr. Seward confined him to a straight jacket and a padded room?
6. Describe Renfield's second escape and capture.
7. What begins happening to Lucy upon her return home to Hillingham?
8. Arthur Holmwood asks Dr. Seward to examine Lucy. What are Dr. Seward's findings regarding Lucy?