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English 12: British Literature

***The Canterbury Tales* Guided Reading Questions**

*The Miller's Tale*

1. What is the Miller's condition as he begins to tell his tale?
2. Who is Nicholas?
3. Describe Alison, the carpenter's wife.
4. How did Nicholas get the carpenter out of the way so he and Alison could sleep together?
5. Identify Absalom and explain his actions.
6. What joke did Alison and Nicholas play on Absalom?
7. How did Absalom get even with Alison and Nicholas?
8. Why did the village people think the carpenter was crazy?