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### **Part I – The Treasure of Lemon Brown / Walter Dean Myers**

1. iii – study more everyday
2. iii – told Greg he had a razor
3. i – used to be a famous singer
4. Lemon Brown tells Greg that "every man got treasure" to make Greg understand that everyone has something valuable in life and that those who fail to recognize it are fools. He also wants Greg to see that what matters most in life is not money but family. Lemon Brown keeps his old broken harmonica and the newspaper clippings because he treasures the memory of his son and also to remind himself of his past success and greatness.
5. Thinking Skill: Inferring  
Greg's smile implies that he finally realizes that his father has his best interest at heart. Having spoken to Lemon Brown, he understands that sometimes life doesn't give second chances: Jesse is killed at war and all his father has now is a memory of him. Greg still has his father and his smile indicates that he is going to listen to him instead of simply running away.

### **Part II – Thank You, M'am / Langston Hughes**

6. iii – kicks him
7. i – watches her prepare a meal
8. ii – about her daily life
9. iv – gives Roger money for shoes
10. Thinking Skill: Cause and Effect  
Mrs. Jones says that Roger is going to remember her because she is certain that she is going to teach him a lesson he will never forget. She knows that through

kindness, great things can be achieved. Roger expects her to take him to jail; she does no such thing. Instead, she takes him home, feeds him and gives him money. Mrs. Jones treats Rogers as she would treat her own son as she wants him to see that "devilish ways" would lead him nowhere. She knows that the goodness of her heart will accompany Roger in every decision he would make from that point on.

### Part III

#### 12. The Road Not Taken / Robert Frost

The message of the above quote and that of the poem carry a deep resemblance. The poet writes, "Yet knowing how way leads on to way, / I doubted if I should ever come back", which is the same as saying that the past cannot be changed. Once a choice is made, it will take us into the unknown future. The speaker in the poem realizes this and is saddened by this fact. No one can predict what lays ahead and yet, despite our desire to keep the other road for "another day", the only direction to progress is forward; all that is left is glancing back with a sign.

#### 13. Summer's Reading / Bernard Malamud

What Mark Twain means to say in the above quote is that the beginning of every process is taking the first step which is normally the hardest. Similarly, in "Summer's Reading" George only dreams of a better life for himself, but does nothing to realize his desires. He lies and finds different excuses for himself, but that gets him nowhere really. In the end of the story, George finally goes to the library and counts off one hundred books – this is him eventually taking the first step towards getting ahead with his education and perhaps consequently reaching success.