

The Adventures of Dod

Discussion Questions for Chapter 23

1. What did Sawny give Dod as a good luck charm? Did it bring him good luck? Do you have any good luck charms? How might a positive attitude be a lot like a good luck charm?
2. What words did Dod use to insult The Dread? Dod doesn't use curse words. Why might people respect those who don't use curse words?
3. Dod found power by thinking of his mother, aunt, brothers, and grandfather. How do you feel about your family? Is there someone in your family who you'd like to treat better?
4. How did The Dread feel about his family? What do his negative feelings say about his personality? Do you think he's happy?

Vocabulary Words for Chapter 23

PREDICAMENT
AMBIANCE
CUMMERBUND
BOISTEROUSLY
HOMOGENOUS
CONVULSION
FACILITATE
PESSIMISM
DEBONAIR
POSH

The Adventures of Dod Vocabulary

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

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Albeit
Irksome
Incapacitated
Apprehend
Laceration
Mesmerize
Bedraggled
Arduously
Tousled
Jaded