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INTRODUCTION

If you already own the LitPlan for this title, this Puzzle Pack will refresh your Unit Resource Materials and Vocabulary Resource Materials sections plus give you additional materials you can substitute into the tests. If you do not already have a complete LitPlan, these pages will give you some supplemental materials to use with your own plan. There are two main groups of materials: one set for unit words (such as characters' names, symbols, places, etc.) and one set for vocabulary words associated with the book.

WORD LIST

There is a word list for both the unit words and the vocabulary words. These lists show you which words are being used in the materials and the clues or definitions being used for those words. You may want to give students a word list with clues/definitions to help them, or you may want students to only have a word list (without clues/definitions) if you want them to work a little harder. Both are available for duplication. The word lists can also be your "calling key" for the bingo games.

FILL IN THE BLANK AND MATCHING

There are 4 each of the fill in the blank and matching worksheets for both the unit and vocabulary words. These pages can be used either as extra worksheets for students or as objective parts of a unit test. They can be done individually if students need extra help or as a whole class activity to review the material covered.

MAGIC SQUARES

The magic squares not only reinforce the material covered but also work on reasoning and math skills. Many teachers have told us that their students really enjoy doing these!

WORD SEARCH PUZZLES

The word search words go in all directions, as indicated on your answer keys. Two of the word search puzzles have the clues listed rather than the words. This makes the puzzle a little more difficult, but it reinforces the material better. Two word search puzzles have words only for students who find the clue puzzles too difficult.

CROSSWORD PUZZLES

Both unit and vocabulary word sections have 4 crossword puzzles.

BINGO CARDS

There are 32 individual bingo cards for the unit words and 32 individual bingo cards for the vocabulary words. You can use your word list as a "call list," calling the words at random and marking them off of your list as you go, or you could use the flash cards by cutting them apart and drawing the words at random from a hat (or box or whatever). To make a better review, you might ask for the definition and spelling of each word as you call it out—or you could call out the definitions and have students tell you the words they need to look for on the puzzle.

JUGGLE LETTERS

The vocabulary juggle letter game is intended to help students learn the spellings of the words. One sheet has the definitions listed on it as an extra help for students who need it or to reinforce the definitions if you choose to do so.

FLASH CARDS

We've included a set of vocabulary flash cards you can duplicate, cut, and fold for your students. Some teachers make a few sets for general use by the class; others make a set for each student. Some teachers duplicate them for each student and have the students cut & fold their own. You can cut out just the words and put them in a hat, have each student pick out one word and write the definition and a sentence for that word. Students then swap words and papers, with the next student adding a sentence of his own under the last one. You can have students swap as many times as you like. Each time the student will read the sentences written prior to his own and then add a sentence. You can cut out the words and definitions separately and play "I Have; Who Has?" Each student in the room draws a word and definition. The first student says, "I have (the name of the word). Who has the definition?" The student with the definition reads it then says, "I have (the name of the vocabulary word she has). Who has the definition?" The round continues until all words and definitions have been given.

Good Earth Matching 1

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| ___ 1. NEPHEW | A. WL bought land from the House of ___. |
| ___ 2. HID | B. O-lan killed it for food. |
| ___ 3. FLOOD | C. To escape soldiers, WL ___ during the day. |
| ___ 4. SLAVE | D. A great ___ came. (water disaster) |
| ___ 5. OPIUM | E. The uncle belonged to a band of ___. |
| ___ 6. FEET | F. Servant woman with whom WL bargained for land |
| ___ 7. BEG | G. WL's first mistress |
| ___ 8. FURNITURE | H. Lotus called WL's children this. |
| ___ 9. ROBBERS | I. WL dyed these red and gave them to friends to celebrate the birth of his son. |
| ___ 10. LOTUS | J. ___ a female child was an accepted means of survival for the poor. |
| ___ 11. EGGS | K. O-lan ___ the newborn child; it would have died of starvation. |
| ___ 12. LAND | L. WL cut off his ___. |
| ___ 13. HWANG | M. WL claimed their child was a female with smallpox & prayed for its ___. |
| ___ 14. BRAID | N. WL gave his uncle's family this to make them less of a nuisance. |
| ___ 15. SOUTH | O. Direction WL wanted to go to find food and work |
| ___ 16. CHOKED | P. WL was ___-sick for Lotus. |
| ___ 17. OX | Q. WL sent his sons there to learn to read and write. |
| ___ 18. LOVE | R. O-lan's final words to Cuckoo: '...you are still a ___.' |
| ___ 19. DEATH | S. 'He lived in the rich city as alien as a ___ in a rich man's house.' |
| ___ 20. TRAIN | T. He went to join the war & see the country. |
| ___ 21. SCHOOL | U. O-lan bound her daughter's ___. |
| ___ 22. RAT | V. WL sold his ___ to get money to go south. |
| ___ 23. CUCKOO | W. WL's father would not do this. |
| ___ 24. SELLING | X. Working on it made WL well again. |
| ___ 25. IDIOTS | Y. Transportation south |

Good Earth Magic Squares 1

Match the definition with the vocabulary word. Put your answers in the magic squares below. When your answers are correct, all columns and rows will add to the same number.

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| A. SCHOOL | E. PROUD | I. CUCKOO | M. UGLY |
| B. FLOOD | F. HID | J. DEATH | N. SOUTH |
| C. RAT | G. BEG | K. UNCLE | O. BUCK |
| D. FURNITURE | H. CHINA | L. SOLD | P. LOVE |

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| 1. A great ___ came. (water disaster) | 9. WL was ___-sick for Lotus. |
| 2. WL's father would not do this. | 10. Servant woman with whom WL bargained for land |
| 3. Wang Lung's ___'s family stayed in the house | 11. Characteristic of Wang Lung; he was ___. |
| 4. Direction WL wanted to go to find food and work | 12. WL sold his ___ to get money to go south. |
| 5. In the 7th year of prosperity, WL saw O-lan as ___. | 13. 'He lived in the rich city as alien as a ___ in a rich man's house.' |
| 6. The two sons ___ WL's land and divided the profits. | 14. To escape soldiers, WL ___ during the day. |
| 7. WL's country | 15. WL claimed their child was a female with smallpox & prayed for its ___. |
| 8. WL sent his sons there to learn to read and write. | 16. Author |

A=	B=	C=	D=
E=	F=	G=	H=
I=	J=	K=	L=
M=	N=	O=	P=

Good Earth Word Search 1

Words are placed backwards, forward, diagonally, up and down. Clues listed below can help you find the words. Circle the hidden vocabulary words in the maze.

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

'He lived in the rich city as alien as a ___ in a rich man's house.' (3)

'When I return to that house it will be with my ___ in my arms.' (3)

A great ___ came. (water disaster) (5)

Author (4)

Characteristic of Wang Lung; he was ___. (5)

Direction WL wanted to go to find food and work (5)

He went to join the war & see the country. (6)

In the 7th year of prosperity, WL saw O-lan as ___. (4)

Lotus called WL's children this. (6)

O-lan ___ the newborn child; it would have died of starvation. (6)

O-lan bound her daughter's ___. (4)

O-lan had ___ hidden in the cloth. (6)

O-lan killed it for food. (2)

O-lan's final words to Cuckoo: '...you are still a ___.' (5)

Servant woman with whom WL bargained for land (6)

She married Wang Lung. (4)

She promised to take care of Wang Lung's daughter. (7)

The two sons ___ WL's land and divided the profits. (4)

The uncle belonged to a band of ___. (7)

They arrested poor men. (8)

To escape soldiers, WL ___ during the day. (3)

Transportation south (5)

WL bought land from the House of ___. (5)

WL claimed their child was a female with smallpox & prayed for its ___. (5)

WL cut off his ___. (5)

WL dyed these red and gave them to friends to celebrate the birth of his son. (4)

WL gave his uncle ___ to protect his own reputation. (5)

WL gave his uncle's family this to make them less of a nuisance. (5)

WL sent his sons there to learn to read and write. (6)

WL sold his ___ to get money to go south. (9)

WL was ___-sick for Lotus. (4)

WL would not eat the ___ his 2nd son stole. (4)

WL's country (5)

WL's father would not do this. (3)

WL's first mistress (5)

Wang Lung's ___'s family stayed in the house (5)

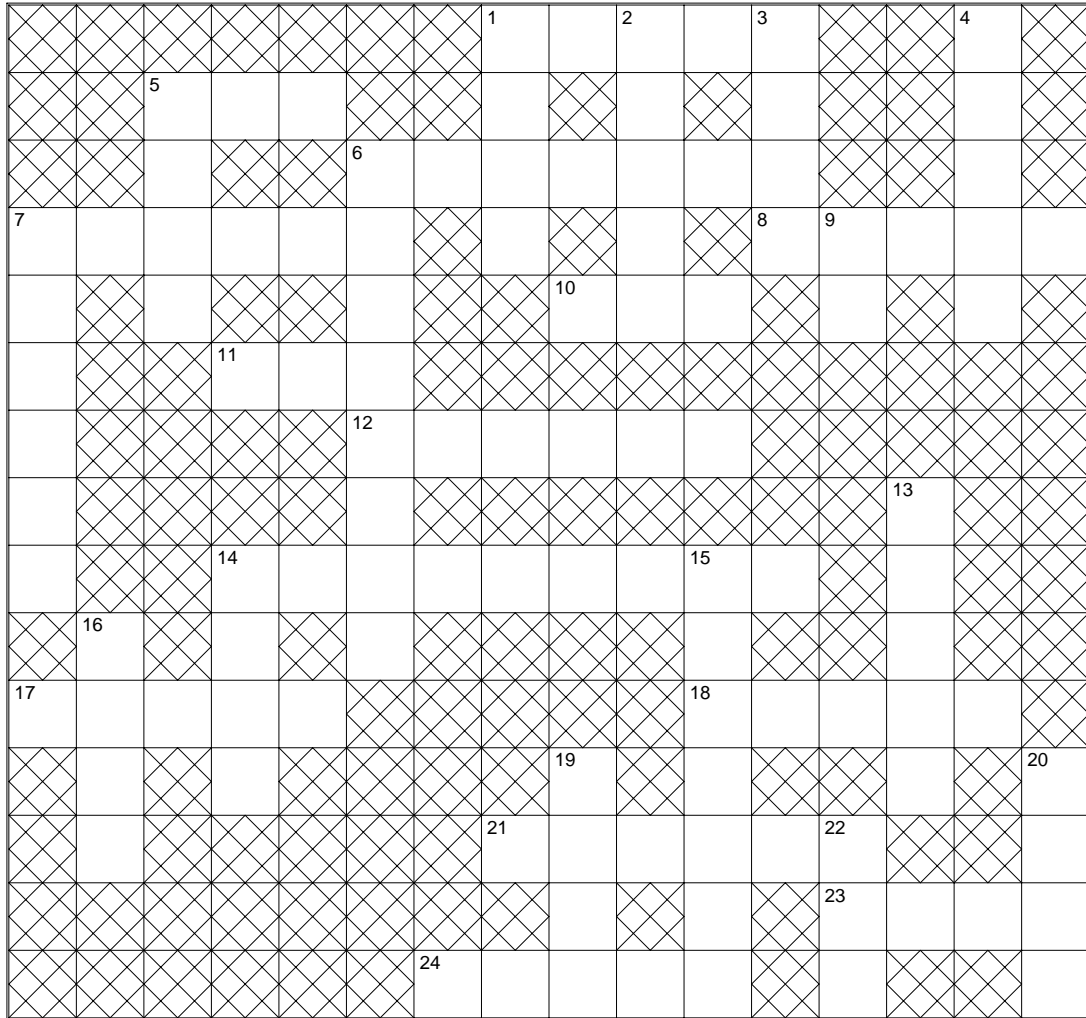
When WL cut off his braid, O-lan said, 'You have cut off your ___!' (4)

Working on it made WL well again. (4)

___ Lung had a strong attachment to the land. (4)

___ a female child was an accepted means of survival for the poor. (7)

Good Earth Crossword 1



Across

1. Wang Lung's ___'s family stayed in the house
5. WL's father would not do this.
6. ___ a female child was an accepted means of survival for the poor.
7. Servant woman with whom WL bargained for land
8. Direction WL wanted to go to find food and work
10. 'He lived in the rich city as alien as a ___ in a rich man's house.'
11. To escape soldiers, WL ___ during the day.
12. Lotus called WL's children this.
14. WL sold his ___ to get money to go south.
17. WL gave his uncle ___ to protect his own reputation.
18. WL cut off his ___.
21. O-lan had ___ hidden in the cloth.
23. She married Wang Lung.
24. WL's first mistress

Down

1. In the 7th year of prosperity, WL saw O-lan as ___.
2. WL's country
3. WL dyed these red and gave them to friends to celebrate the birth of his son.
4. WL claimed their child was a female with smallpox & prayed for its ___.
5. Author
6. They arrested poor men.
7. O-lan ___ the newborn child; it would have died of starvation.
9. O-lan killed it for food.
13. Transportation south
14. O-lan bound her daughter's ___.
15. The uncle belonged to a band of ___.
16. The two sons ___ WL's land and divided the profits.
19. WL would not eat the ___ his 2nd son stole.
20. Working on it made WL well again.
22. 'When I return to that house it will be with my ___ in my arms.'

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BLOSSOM	FLOOD	UGLY	LOTUS	OPIUM
FURNITURE	CHOKED	SELLING	SCHOOL	BRAID
LIFE	TRAIN	FREE SPACE	UNCLE	FEET
LOVE	HID	ROBBERS	HWANG	OX
BEG	EGGS	SLAVE	CUCKOO	BUCK

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SOLDIERS	LAND	WANG	IDIOTS	MEAT
JEWELS	SON	NEPHEW	SOLD	PROUD
DEATH	OLAN	FREE SPACE	MONEY	SOUTH
BUCK	CUCKOO	SLAVE	EGGS	BEG
OX	HWANG	ROBBERS	HID	LOVE