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for

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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.



## Caged Bird Matching 1

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|------------------|---|
| ___ 1. LOYAL     | A. Result of Marguerite's seduction   |
| ___ 2. WEALTH    | B. Mr. ___ sexually abused Marguerite   |
| ___ 3. HERO      | C. Powhite ___ mocked and insulted Momma                                      |
| ___ 4. JUNKYARD  | D. Marguerite's first friend  |
| ___ 5. LOUISE    | E. Johnson children's method of travel to Stamps                              |
| ___ 6. CULLLINAN | F. Envidable attribute of whites  |
| ___ 7. GIGGLE    | G. His graduation speech made Marguerite angry and sick                       |
| ___ 8. PREGNANCY | H. Marguerite lived here for one month  |
| ___ 9. KIRWIN    | I. Marguerite drove home from this place                                      |
| ___ 10. TRASH    | J. City in Arkansas where author lived  |
| ___ 11. ANGELOU  | K. This title for Momma in court proved her worth and dignity                 |
| ___ 12. MONROE   | L. Bailey's first love  |
| ___ 13. MRS      | M. Marguerite was first Negro to work on the ___ cars                         |
| ___ 14. LOUIS    | N. Owner of the store   |
| ___ 15. DONLEAVY | O. Maya ___; author   |
| ___ 16. MEXICO   | P. St. ___; Daddy Bailey took children there                                  |
| ___ 17. STAMPS   | Q. Marguerite's new name  |
| ___ 18. TRAIN    | R. Uncle ___ was crippled as a child  |
| ___ 19. WILLIE   | S. Sister ___ got carried away at church services                             |
| ___ 20. JOYCE    | T. What Louise taught Marguerite to do  |
| ___ 21. STREET   | U. Mrs. ___ changed Marguerite's name   |
| ___ 22. MARY     | V. Los ___; Daddy Bailey's home   |
| ___ 23. FREEMAN  | W. Attribute of Baxter clan   |
| ___ 24. ANGELES  | X. Teacher in love with information & treated students respectfully           |
| ___ 25. MOMMA    | Y. The ___ is that man who is offered only crumbs but is able to make a feast |

## Caged Bird 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. MOMMA       | G. CULLLINAN   | M. HENDERSON |
| B. FREEMAN     | H. STREET      | N. DOLORES   |
| C. GRANDMOTHER | I. PURSE       | O. MEXICO    |
| D. FLOWERS     | J. SEGREGATION | P. WEALTH    |
| E. ANGELES     | K. SHAKESPEARE |              |
| F. TRASH       | L. LINCOLN     |              |

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|--|---|
| 1. Owner of the store                            | 9. Marguerite drove home from this place                |
| 2. Cut Marguerite in a fight                     | 10. Mrs. ____ gave Marguerite the gift of books         |
| 3. It was complete in Stamps                     | 11. Marguerite was first Negro to work on the ____ cars |
| 4. Los ____; Daddy Bailey's home                 | 12. Marguerite's first white love                       |
| 5. Mrs. ____ changed Marguerite's name           | 13. Sister Monroe hit Rev. Thomas with her ____         |
| 6. Dr. ____ wouldn't treat Marguerite's tooth    | 14. Powhite ____ mocked and insulted Momma              |
| 7. Envidable attribute of whites                 | 15. Mr. ____ sexually abused Marguerite                 |
| 8. This Baxter was precinct captain in St. Louis | 16. Momma's last name                                   |

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

## Caged Bird Word Search 1



According to Marguerite, he was white but not prejudiced (3)

Attribute of Baxter clan (5)

Bailey's first love (5)

City in Arkansas where author lived (6)

Cut Marguerite in a fight (7)

Envidable attribute of whites (6)

His graduation speech made Marguerite angry and sick (8)

It was complete in Stamps (11)

Johnson children's method of travel to Stamps (5)

Los \_\_\_\_; Daddy Bailey's home (7)

Marguerite described Bailey as her \_\_\_\_ Come (7)

Marguerite dreamed she would one day have \_\_\_\_ hair and blue eyes (6)

Marguerite drove home from this place (6)

Marguerite lived here for one month (8)

Marguerite was first Negro to work on the \_\_\_\_ cars (6)

Marguerite's brother (6)

Marguerite's first friend (6)

Marguerite's first white love (11)

Marguerite's new name (4)

Maya \_\_\_\_; author (7)

Mother Dear; \_\_\_\_ Baxter (6)

Mr. \_\_\_\_ saw his dead wife in a dream (6)

Mr. \_\_\_\_ sexually abused Marguerite (7)

Mrs. \_\_\_\_ gave Marguerite the gift of books (7)

Mrs. \_\_\_\_ changed Marguerite's name (9)

Owner of the store (5)

Powwhite \_\_\_\_ mocked and insulted Momma (5)

Result of Marguerite's seduction (9)

Searched for a Black man (4)

Sister Monroe hit Rev. Thomas with her \_\_\_\_ (5)

Sister \_\_\_\_ got carried away at church services (6)

St. \_\_\_\_; Daddy Bailey took children there (5)

Teacher in love with information & treated students respectfully (6)

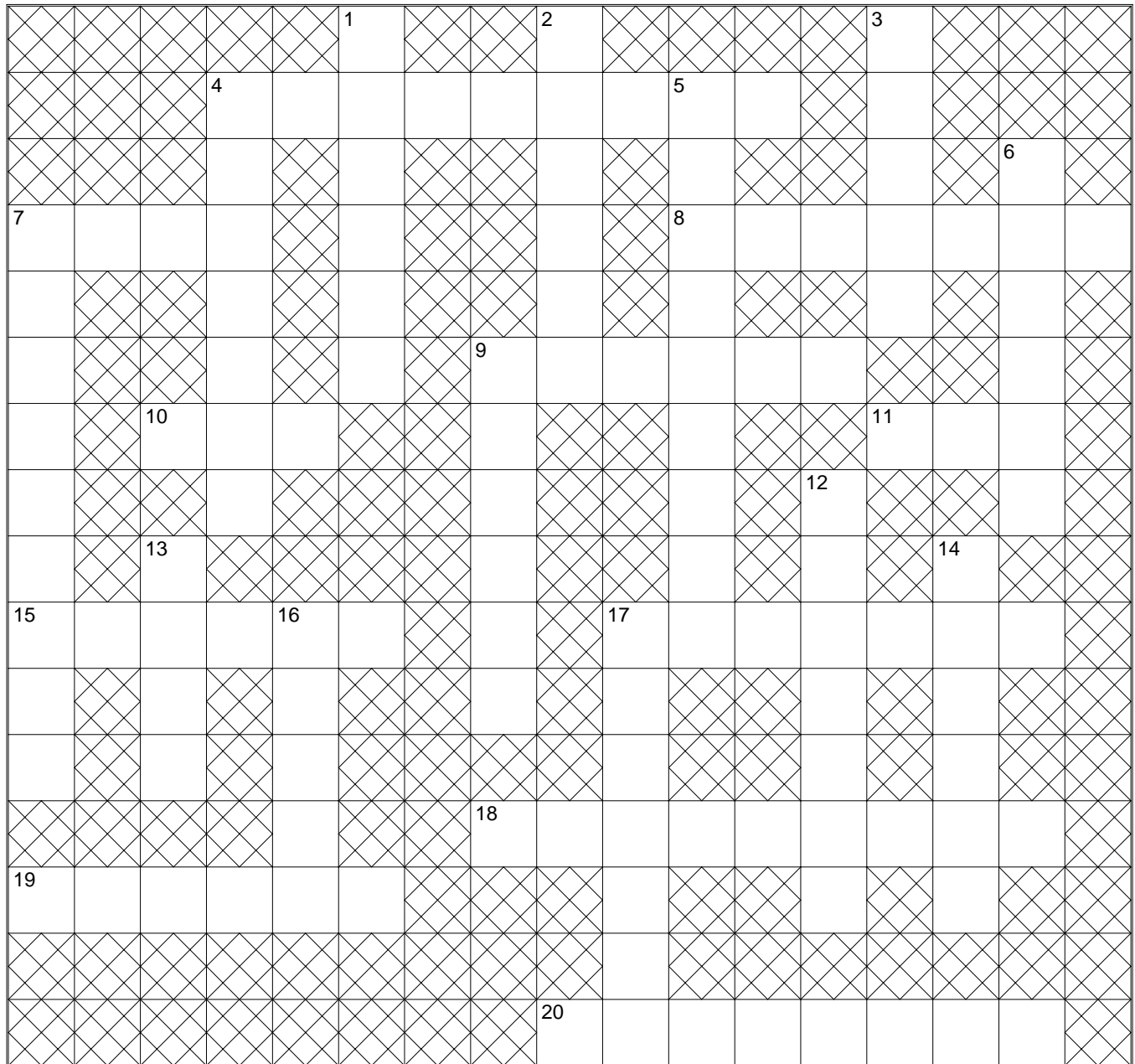
The \_\_\_\_ is that man who is offered only crumbs but is able to make a feast (4)

This title for Momma in court proved her worth and dignity (3)

Uncle \_\_\_\_ was crippled as a child (6)

What Louise taught Marguerite to do (6)

# Caged Bird Crossword 1



## Across

4. San \_\_\_; Marguerite's home in high school
7. The \_\_\_ is that man who is offered only crumbs but is able to make a feast
8. Dr. \_\_\_ wouldn't treat Marguerite's tooth
9. Envidable attribute of whites
10. This title for Momma in court proved her worth and dignity
11. According to Marguerite, he was white but not prejudiced
15. City in Arkansas where author lived
17. Los \_\_\_; Daddy Bailey's home
18. Result of Marguerite's seduction
19. Marguerite was first Negro to work on the \_\_\_ cars
20. Marguerite lived here for one month

## Down

1. Marguerite's brother
2. What Louise taught Marguerite to do
3. Bailey's first love
4. Mrs. \_\_\_ gave Marguerite the gift of books
5. Mrs. \_\_\_ changed Marguerite's name
6. Marguerite dreamed she would one day have \_\_\_ hair and blue eyes
7. Momma's last name
9. Uncle \_\_\_ was crippled as a child
12. Mr. \_\_\_ sexually abused Marguerite
13. Marguerite's new name
14. Marguerite drove home from this place
16. Sister Monroe hit Rev. Thomas with her \_\_\_
17. Maya \_\_\_; author

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MEXICO	MONROE	SEGREGATION	TRAIN	GOD
MRS	LOYAL	PREGNANCY	KINGDOM	GIGGLE
PURSE	MARY	FREE SPACE	JUNKYARD	JOYCE
BAILEY	LOUISE	DONLEAVY	FRANCISCO	HENDERSON
STAMPS	SHAKESPEARE	MOMMA	ANGELOU	HERO

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FREEMAN	CULLINAN	GRANDMOTHER	WEALTH	ANGELES
WILLIE	KIRWIN	STREET	TRASH	VIVIAN
LINCOLN	DOLORES	FREE SPACE	KLAN	FLOWERS
TAYLOR	HERO	ANGELOU	MOMMA	SHAKESPEARE
STAMPS	HENDERSON	FRANCISCO	DONLEAVY	LOUISE