

Lawn Boy

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Chapter 11: _____

BEFORE You Read

If you asked your parents what they would want if they could have anything in the world, what would they say? ____

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While You Read

Write the page number where you first see each of these words. When you are finished reading, use context clues to match each word to its definition.

☐	concentrate	satisfied that you have done all you could
☐	miraculous	writing that tells what happened
☐	creative	focus
☐	fulfilled	good at thinking of new ideas
☐	stunned	seems impossible, so God must have done it
☐	record	so surprised you can't move

AFTER You Read

Describe the setting when L.B. first tries to tell his parents about how his business is doing. Include 3 details. 1) _____ 2) _____ _____ 3) _____

How does L.B. try to start the conversation about his business? _____ _____ What are his parents' responses to his opening question? At first, they say _____. Then they say they would wish _____. What does L.B.'s mom think L.B. is trying to do? _____

In Chapter 1, L.B. describes his lawn as not having much grass and not being very healthy. How has his lawn changed since then? _____ Who has improved it? _____ Why? _____ How do L.B.'s parents explain the change? _____

How do the different characters react when they see Joey Powdermilk?



Mom: _____

Dad: _____

Lawn Boy: _____

Does L.B. lie to his parents? ____ Explain. _____

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