

Always to Remember: The vision of Maya King Lin

Thinking About the Selection

1. Respond: What is your response to the design of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, as seen on pages 473 and 474? Why?

2. (a) Recall: Why did people think that a Vietnam memorial was necessary?

(b) Interpret: What kinds of balances did the design need to strike in order to accomplish its purpose?

3. (a) Recall: How was the design for the memorial chosen?

Reading Skill

6. (a) What is the main idea of the section of the essay before the announcement of Maya Ying Lin's name? (b) Which details in the paragraph support this idea?

7. (a) List three main ideas in the section about Maya Ying Lin on pages 477—479.
(b) From this list, construct a sentence that states the main idea of the entire section.