The Narrative of The Life of Frederick Douglass

Chapter 7

Review Questions

1) How long did Frederick Douglass reside with the Hugh’s family?

2) What happened to Frederick Douglass’ learning to read?

3) What was Frederick Douglass’ master’s wife character?

4) What was the impact upon the wife of Frederick Douglass’ master of owning a slave?

5) Why did Frederick Douglass’ master’s wife cease to instruct him?

6) How did Frederick Douglass continue to learn to read?

7) What was the reaction of slave owners to teaching slaves to read?

8) What book did Frederick Douglass discover when he was twelve?

9) How did reading influence Frederick Douglass’ opinions about his masters?

10) What was Frederick Douglass’ reaction to hearing the word abolition?

11) What was the reaction of the Irishman whom Frederick Douglass had helped to hearing that he was a slave?

12) What advice did the Irishmen give to Frederick Douglass?

13) How did Frederick Douglass learn to write?