***The Book Thief* Study Questions Part III**

Answer these questions as we read *The Book Thief*. These questions will help prepare you for your tests and quizzes in this unit. Answer each question completely and in full sentences on your own piece of paper. You do not need to write the question, just the answers.

# Part III: Mein Kampf

## The Way Home

1. What was the third book of great importance to reach Liesel?
2. What did Papa do when he found that Liesel had stolen another book? Did he tell on her? Did he let her keep it?
3. What did Papa make Liesel promise?
4. What book did Papa buy? What did they say about Papa’s application to the Nazi Party?

## 2. The Mayor’s Library

1. Which house did Liesel avoid? Why?
2. What was Rudy’s solution to Liesel’s problem?
3. What happens when Liesel goes to the mayor’s house?
4. Who does Liesel think saw her steal the book?
5. What happens the second time Liesel goes to the Mayor’s house? What is in the house? What is Liesel’s reaction to it?

## 3. Enter the Struggler

1. Who is Max? Where is he?
2. What does the other person bring Max?
3. Who was Max pleading to?

## Attributes of Summer

1. Why did the Nazis want to burn *The Shoulder Shrug*?
2. Why does Liesel want to go get the washing alone? What does she do at the mayor’s house?
3. Who was Johann Hermann? How did he die?
4. Why was Tommy Müller afraid of Liesel? How does Liesel try to make it up to him?
5. What do Liesel and Rudy steal?

## 5. The Aryan Shopkeeper

1. Skip this chapter!
2. Quick summary: Liesel and Rudy find a coin on the ground and go to Frau Diller’s shop and buy mixed candy.

## The Struggler, Continued

1. Where is Max headed?

## Tricksters

1. What do Rudy and Liesel do to Otto Sturm?
2. What happens at the potato farm? What does Liesel do?
3. What did they do with the chestnuts from Arthur Berg?

## The Struggler, Concluded

1. Where did Max go? What did his key unlock?