***The Book Thief* Study Questions Part VIII**

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 VIII: The World Shaker

## Dominoes and Darkness

1. Who do you think the “two monsters” in the kitchen are? What do they want?
2. What are the “Three Possibilities?”

## The Thought of Rudy Naked

1. Skip this chapter!
2. Summary: Rudy has a physical examination to be chosen for a special school. He eventually tells Liesel.

## Punishment

1. Why did Hans quit playing the accordion?
2. What was the “paper in the kitchen?”
3. What arrives on Friday?
4. What news did the Steiners find out? What does Kurt Steiner tell Liesel about his father?

## The Promise-Keeper’s Wife

1. What happened the night before Papa was to leave for training?
2. Where do Rudy and Liesel go? How does Liesel convince Rudy to go back home? Who is waiting for them?

## The Collector

1. What was Alex Steiner’s job in the army?
2. What was Hans’ job? What is LSE? What does it mean?

## The Bread Eaters

1. What was one of Liesel’s favorite distractions?
2. What did Liesel and Rudy do when the Jews came through Molching?

## The Hidden Sketchbook

1. What does Mama give Liesel?
2. What is the book called?
3. What is Max’s fairy tale about?

## The Anarchist’s Suit Collection

1. What do Liesel and Rudy do on Christmas Eve?