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The Talking Flag's Tale

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Old Glory likely chose to share its stories with Emily because it saw her curiosity and appreciation for history, and it wanted to pass on the knowledge and significance of the events it had witnessed.
2. Emily's understanding of the American flag likely deepened as she realized the flag's rich history and its role as a symbol of important events and values in the nation's past.
3. Old Glory may have faded away as a way to preserve its magical and historical significance, leaving its stories and lessons with Emily to carry forward.

