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Life and Beyond

Short Answer Key

1. Hamlet questions what happens after death because he does not know if it brings peace or something worse.
2. Claudius tries to avoid thinking about death and fears losing power more than the afterlife.
3. Hamlet realizes that death comes for everyone, no matter their status in life.
4. Hamlet overthinks and questions death, while Ophelia quietly fades away from sadness.
5. Shakespeare included many moments about death to explore life's big questions and show how people deal with grief and fear.

