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Life and Beyond

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Responses should discuss whether the ghost seems trustworthy or suspicious and how Hamlet should react.
2. Students should explore whether fearing death is natural or if Hamlet's fear held him back.
3. Responses should compare Hamlet, Claudius, Ophelia, and other characters' views on death.
4. Students should share their interpretation of Shakespeare's message about life, death, and the unknown.

