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The Unveiling of Secrets: Chapters 9-14 of 'The Scarlet Letter'

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What nickname is Roger Chillingworth given in the Puritan community?

- A) The Loyal Servant
- B) The Leech
- C) The Reverend
- D) The Scholar

2. Why does Reverend Dimmesdale's health deteriorate in Chapter 10?

- A) He is physically weak from overworking.
- B) He is suffering from an unknown illness.
- C) Roger Chillingworth is secretly poisoning him.
- D) He is starving himself as a form of penance.

3. What inner turmoil does Reverend Dimmesdale experience in Chapter 11?

- A) Regret for his decision to become a minister
- B) Guilt and torment over his concealed sin
- C) Frustration with the town's strict moral code
- D) Fear of Hester Prynne

4. Why does Reverend Dimmesdale take a vigil on the scaffold in Chapter 12?

- A) To repent for his sins in public
- B) To seek forgiveness from God
- C) To confess his sins to the townspeople
- D) To prove his innocence to Hester

5. How has Hester Prynne's role in the community evolved in Chapter 13?

- A) She has become a respected religious leader.
- B) She has embraced her role as a mother.
- C) She is known for her charitable work and sewing skills.
- D) She has become a recluse and avoids social interactions.

