

Name _____

From Heiress to Hardship

Short Answer Key

1. Isabella and her family lost their fortune due to a financial crisis caused by poor investments.
2. After losing her wealth, Isabella's life changed dramatically as she faced poverty, learned to budget, cooked meals, and took on part-time jobs to help her family.
3. Isabella initially felt humiliated and upset when she overheard people gossiping about her family. She ran to the park and found solace in Sam's company.
4. Isabella's encounter with Sam helped her realize that she wasn't alone in her struggles and taught her valuable lessons about resilience and empathy.
5. She discovered that true wealth is not seen by material possessions but by the love and support of family and the kindness she showed to others. She realized that an understanding of the importance of empathy and the strength to face adversity with grace is far more important than fortune.

