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Exploring the Setting of 'Of Mice and Men'

Multiple Choice Questions

1. Where is the primary setting of the novella "Of Mice and Men"?
 - a) New York City
 - b) Salinas Valley, California
 - c) Chicago
 - d) Dallas, Texas

2. How does the Great Depression era setting impact the characters in the story?
 - a) It provides them with wealth and stability.
 - b) It creates economic hardships and instability.
 - c) It offers them the opportunity to own land.
 - d) It allows them to live in luxury.

3. What is an itinerant worker in the context of the novella's setting?
 - a) A worker who stays in one place for a long time
 - b) A worker who travels from place to place in search of employment
 - c) A worker who owns their own ranch
 - d) A worker who refuses to take on new jobs

4. Which natural setting in the novella provides moments of tranquility and solitude for the characters?
 - a) The bustling city streets
 - b) The busy ranch
 - c) The Salinas Valley
 - d) The riverbank

5. What does George and Lennie's dream of owning land represent within the story's setting?
 - a) A desire for a lavish lifestyle
 - b) Hope and escape from economic challenges
 - c) Ownership of a successful business
 - d) An interest in traveling the world

