

The Giver – Chapter 1

Vocabulary

utopia

distraught

apprehensive

Questions

1. Describe the evening ritual.
2. What does Lily mean when she says the visitors acted like animals?
3. What is a family unit?
4. What do you think of Jonas' community? What words might you use to describe it? Give reasons for your answer.
5. Why is Jonas so "careful about language"? How important is it to "choose just the right words" in our society? Explain your answer.