

Short stories (class-10)

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English literature

Read the extract given below and answer the questions that follow:

1. In the cold and gloom a poor little girl walked, bareheaded and barefoot, through the streets.

When he had children of his own.

Q.1 → Where is the little girl now? What special occasion is it?

2. What is the atmosphere where she is? How is she dressed? What does it reveal of her?

3. What do you know about her slippers? What happened to them? What do you conclude from the slippers she had?

4. Where is she going and for what purpose? Who sends her?

5. Is her mission successful? What does she feel?

extract.

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The snowflakes fell on her long golden hair - - - - -

else.

Q.1 → Where is the girl now? What is happening around?

2. Describe the girl's appearance.
3. Why does the writer say she did not think of her appearance now?
4. When darkness sets in what does she see and feel? What is your impression about her now?
5. What does the writer aim by depicting such a painful situation for a small child?