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## Amish Barn-raising

<p>1. Why did Rebecca say it was almost an agony to wait for the barn-raising?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> A She felt nervous about all the neighbors who would be there.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> B She wasn't looking forward to all the hard work.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> C She was anticipating an exciting day.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> D She was afraid someone would get hurt.</p>	<p>2. The Amish are religious people who live by a set of laws called the Ordnung. The Ordnung instructs them on:</p> <p><input type="radio"/> A How to be good neighbors</p> <p><input type="radio"/> B Ways to get their children to do chores</p> <p><input type="radio"/> C Building barns</p> <p><input type="radio"/> D Living a life of simplicity</p>
<p>3. Which of these is a fact in the story?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> A The Lapp family didn't own a car.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> B Everyone enjoys barn-raising day.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> C Lemonade is the best beverage after a hard day at work.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> D Rebecca's dress was navy blue.</p>	<p>4. Paul Yoder pointed out the wren because:</p> <p><input type="radio"/> A He likes the tune wrens warble.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> B It is content with its life.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> C It builds a nest just like they build a barn.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> D It eats only what it needs for survival.</p>
<p>5. Amish children usually only attend school through the 8th grade. After that they work on the farm with their parents. They have no electricity. Do you think the children are happy?</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>6. Neighbors started arriving for work at sunrise, which was at 7:46 a.m. They stopped for the noon meal at 12:32 p.m. They got back to work at 1:27 p.m. and completed the barn by 7:09 p.m. How long were they working on the barn-raising?</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>7. Rebecca's lemonade recipe called for three lemons and one and a half cups of sugar to be added to enough water to make three quarts. How many quarts of lemonade was Rebecca able to make if she had thirty-two lemons and twenty cups of sugar?</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>8. Many Amish families live without electricity, TV, and telephones. Pretend your average monthly bill for electricity is \$102.16, your cable is \$34.24, and your telephone is \$38.70. How much money would you save each year by not having those conveniences?</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>