

## Reading Guide Questions – *Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry* – Chapters 6 & 8

### Chapter 7

1. What is Uncle Hammer's Principle?
2. Does Papa trust Mr. Jamison? Why or why not?
3. What does Mr. Granger's smile foreshadow at the end of the chapter?

### Chapter 8

1. How does Cassie get her revenge on Lillian Jean Simms?
2. What has T.J. told Kaleb Wallace? Why?
3. What is Mama teaching when the school board comes to visit? Why have they come?

## **Reading Guide Questions- Suggested Responses– *Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry* – Chapters 6 & 8**

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1. Uncle Hammer believes that people should take responsibility for their actions and mistakes.
2. Papa does trust Mr. Jamison, who has always treated the Logans with respect and helps them with all legal matters.
3. Mr. Granger's smile foreshadows that he has a plan in mind to hurt the Logans.

### Chapter 8

1. Cassie pretends to be friends with Lillian Jean and learns of all her secrets. Then, she assaults and blackmails her.
2. T.J. told Kaleb Wallace that Mama failed him on purpose and is not teaching what is in the textbooks.
3. Mama is teaching history and the truth about slavery. The school board wants to fire her.