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- I He wants to be alone. He wants to be away from everyone he knows.
- 2 That he has fine clothes, but he looks like a gypsy not a farmer. He has dark eyes and black hair. Lockwood thinks he is an intelligent man, and a gentleman.
- 3 Heathcliff said he was stupid to walk across the moors in such bad weather.
- 4 (a) That he was not Heathcliff's son, and this his name was Hareton Earnshaw. (b) That she was Heathcliff's daughter-in-law.
- 5 He took Joseph's lantern so he could see his way in the dark. Joseph sent two dogs after him and they pulled him to the ground.

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- I Because she did not want Heathcliff to know that Lockwood was in the small bedroom. He did not like anyone to sleep there.
- 2 Some writing which was cut into the wood of a shelf and some old books.
- 3 He dreamt a tree branch was tapping against the window. He broke the glass of the window so that he could break off the branch. But he found that he had got hold of a small, cold hand, not a branch. A child's voice said, 'Let me in.' The child said she was Catherine Linton. Lockwood dreamt that he pulled the hand against the broken glass and blood ran down onto the bed.
- 4 Heathcliff had put his head out of the window. Tears were pouring down his face. He was saying, 'Cathy, come in.'
- 5 Edgar Linton; Catherine (Heathcliff), his daughter; Hareton Earnshaw; Heathcliff and Heathcliff's dead son; and Catherine Earnshaw, who married Edgar Linton and was also dead.
- 6 To sit and talk to him. And to tell him the story of his neighbours.

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- I Hindley was fourteen. Catherine was six.
- 2 A dirty, black-haired boy.
- 3 Heathcliff's soon became lame. Heathcliff said that Hindley must give him his own horse, or he would tell Mr Earnshaw that Hindley had beaten him.
- 4 In October 1777.
- 5 She was Hindley's wife. When she first came to Wuthering Heights she was kind to Cathy, but then she got tired of her.
- 6 They wanted to see if Edgar and Isabella Linton's parents punished their children like Hindley and Joseph punished them.
- 7 Because a dog had bitten her foot and injured her.

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- I Because he was dirty and untidy. Catherine was now clean and tidy. She was dressed in fine clothes.
- 2 Because he threw a dish of hot apple sauce in Edgar's face.
- 3 He was thinking about getting his revenge on Hindley.

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- I Frances gave birth to a baby boy in June. She died in October.
- 2 He caught Hareton when Hindley dropped him from the stairs.
- 3 Because he was in love with Cathy.
- 4 She said, 'Why do I spend my time with you? You don't know anything and you never say anything.'
- 5 She pinched Nelly. Then she got hold of Hareton and shook him. When Edgar tried to stop her she hit his face.
- 6 That she could never marry him and that she was going to marry Edgar Linton.
- 7 That she loved Heathcliff. She said that her soul and his were the same. But she thought that Heathcliff did not know about love.

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- I She found out that Heathcliff had heard some of what she said and had disappeared. She stood out in the farmyard in a terrible storm. She got wet and cold, and she was very unhappy because Heathcliff had gone. She soon got a fever.
- 2 Because Edgar wanted her to live there when he married Cathy. And because Hindley told her she had to leave Wuthering Heights.
- 3 It was Heathcliff. He was tall, handsome and well-dressed.
- 4 He did not like Heathcliff. He tried to be polite but he hated seeing him again.

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- I He was going to take all Hindley's money.
- 2 (a) Heathcliff. (b) Isabella Linton.
- 3 Because he thought she had treated him very badly.
- 4 Heathcliff pushed Edgar's chair with his foot. Edgar jumped up and hit Heathcliff's throat. Heathcliff broke open the locked door and left the house.
- 5 She wanted to frighten Edgar. And she said she would break Heathcliff's heart and Edgar's heart by breaking her own.
- 6 She saw Isabella' pet dog hanging by its neck from a hook in the wall.
- 7 That Isabella had run off with Heathcliff.

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- I That she would soon die and they would bury her on the moors.
- 2 Because Joseph and Hareton hated her. Heathcliff hated her too and was cruel to her, although she was expecting his child. And she was frightened of Hindley who seemed mad. She was treated like a servant.
- 3 He thought Cathy had ruined both their lives by marrying Edgar and not himself.
- 4 Cathy gave birth to a baby girl and then she died.

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- I Isabella ran away from Wuthering Heights. She told Nelly that Hindley had tried to kill Heathcliff. Heathcliff had fought him and injured him.
- 2 London.
- 3 Linton.
- 4 Heathcliff had given Hindley the mortgage on his property so he could use the money for gambling. Hindley

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- had lost everything so Heathcliff now owned Wuthering Heights.
- 5 He wanted to keep Hareton at Wuthering Heights. He wanted to treat Hareton the same way Hindley had treated him when he was a boy.
- 4 Because Catherine and Hareton were going to be married. Nelly was going to look after them.
- 5 Cathy's, Edgar's and Heathcliff's. He thought how peacefully they must be sleeping.

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- I He did not want her to go to Wuthering Heights.
- 2 To say goodbye to Isabella, who was dying. And to bring her son, Linton, back to Thrushcross Grange.
- 3 That she was his cousin.
- 4 He was pale and thin, with blond, curly hair.
- 5 He thought that Linton was his property. He thought he owned the boy and could do what he liked with him.

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- I Sixteen.
- 2 He wanted them to get married. Then Linton would own Thrushcross Grange when Edgar died. And he would own it himself when Linton died.
- 3 Because she wanted to see Linton, but her father had told her she must not go to Wuthering Heights.
- 4 Because he looked very pale and thin. She thought he was ill.
- 5 Heathcliff locked them in a room at Wuthering Heights so that he could make Catherine marry Linton before Edgar died.

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- I His uncle, Edgar. Linton was pleased. Because he had married Catherine, he would be the owner of Thrushcross Grange.
- 2 He tried to change his will so that trustees would look after Catherine's inheritance. Then Heathcliff could not get it. He did not succeed because Heathcliff paid the lawyer to stay away until Edgar died.
- 3 He dug the earth away from her coffin. He wanted to open it and hold her in his arms again. But he heard the sound of someone breathing behind him. He thought it was Cathy. He thought she was with him and not in the coffin, so he put the earth back in the grave.
- 4 He felt that she was always near him, although he could not see her.
- 5 (a) Linton. (b) Heathcliff. (c) Heathcliff, Hareton and Catherine.
- 6 He decided to go to London. He decided to tell Heathcliff to find a new tenant for Thrushcross Grange in October. He did not want to stay in such a wild, bleak place for another winter.

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- I He was invited to visit a friend there.
- 2 That Heathcliff was dead.
- 3 She gave him a book and said she would teach him to read.
- 4 To be with Cathy.

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- I (a) He looked excited. He looked wild but happy.
 - (b) He went to the little room Cathy used to sleep in.
- 2 Perhaps he saw Cathy.
- 3 She found Heathcliff dead.