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1.	Whose death is foreshadowed in Joe and Sam's conversation, and what lines reveal this?				
2.	Describe the interaction between Mrs. Gibbs, Mrs. Soames, and Emily. How is the tone of their interaction different from conversations in Acts I and II? What does this scene suggest?				
3.	What do the dead think about the living, and how does this impact their reaction to Emily's desire to return?				
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4.	Select text evidence that demonstrates how Emily feels upon returning to her twelfth birthday: Why does she feel this way?				
5.	How do Wilder's choices in structuring the events of <i>Our Town</i> contribute to the development of the play's themes?				
6.	What is the meaning and effect of the stage manager's final speech? How does this further develop a theme of the play?				
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7.	Reread Emily's monologue. Identify Emily's tone and the words and phrases which contribute to the tone.				
8.	Identify at least two themes revealed through Emily's speech.				
9.	Explain how these themes are developed throughout the play.				
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