



Open-Ended Questions

1. Look at the paragraph beginning: *I threw both...*

Find and copy one word meaning the remains of a destroyed building.

2. Look at the paragraph beginning: *“Your bag,” Dad...* to the paragraph ending: *...the balcony rail.”*

Why do you think Dad might have felt relieved to hear that the reason Beth had been holding the bag was because it had been stuck to her?

3. At which point during this chapter did Beth realise that being with her dad made her invincible?

4. Look at the paragraph beginning: *“Dave?” I said...* to the paragraph ending: *...leave you here.”*

Why do you think Dave laughed?

5. What do you think Dave did after seeing Beth and her dad jump from the balcony? Give a reason for your answer.