

## *The Giver: Chapters 7-11 STUDY GUIDE*

**Directions:** Answer the following questions on your notebook paper. Although you are not required to answer in complete sentences, you must answer each question thoroughly.

### **Chapter 7**

1. What was Jonas' number?
2. At what age would your age no longer matter?
3. Why did Asher get smacked a lot when he was a three?
4. Why did Jonas get so upset during the Ceremony of 12?
5. What was Asher's assignment?
6. What reason did Jonas think was why he was skipped?
7. What was Jonas' reaction?

### **Chapter 8**

1. Jonas had not actually been assigned, but he was \_\_\_\_\_.
2. What was Jonas to be selected for?
3. Who will train Jonas?
4. The characteristics for a Receiver of Memory are intelligence, integrity, and \_\_\_\_\_.
5. How did Jonas respond?
6. When he looked out at the audience, what happened?
7. How did the audience respond to Jonas left standing on the stage?
8. Why was he filled with fear?

### **Chapter 9**

1. Why did things seem so tense for Jonas after the ceremony?
2. What kind of job did Jonas get?
3. What happened to the girl that was supposed to have been trained for the Receiver of Memory job?
4. What was in Jonas' instruction folder?
5. How much recreation time was he allowed?
6. What was the final rule on his sheet of instructions?
7. Was he allowed medication?
8. What realization struck him?

### **Chapter 10**

1. What was different about the bikes after the Twelves Ceremony?
2. Why was the Receiver of Memory's doors locked?
3. How was the furniture different in the office?
4. Why was Jonas so surprised to see all the books in the office?
5. What memories did the Receiver want Jonas to have?
6. What analogy did the Receiver compare his life to?
7. What did Jonas have to do to get his first memory?
8. What memory did the Receiver give to Jonas?

### **Chapter 11**

1. For the first time, Jonas experienced the feel of \_\_\_\_\_.
2. He felt himself sitting on a \_\_\_\_\_.
3. He was on top of a mound, or \_\_\_\_\_.
4. What happens to the memory once the Giver gives it away to Jonas?
5. Why was there no longer snow?
6. Why did the leaders go to "sameness?"
7. The second memory was warm and comforting. What was it?
8. What was the last memory given to Jonas in this chapter?