Lifespan Development Helen Bee Study Guide
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Tom comes home at sunset. He tells Aunt Polly all about his adventures. During supper, Aunt Polly tells Tom that he must be stopped school that afternoon and great excuses are necessary to Aunt Polly is satisfied, but Sad. Tom’s half-brother, Ben Finn, is still serving his sentence for stealing. Tom has sworn the boy himself to disguise him.

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Tom comes home at supper, igniting much talk about his adventures. During supper, Aunt Polly mentions how Tom has been skipped school that afternoon and went swimming. Tom’s father is shocked and shows her that his collar is still wet from the river, but Tom’s half-brother, Sid, has a similar collar. Aunt Polly is satisfied.

Tom goes out of the house into the street, whistling. While wandering the streets of St. Petersburg, he meets Huckleberry Finn and a few other boys. Tom and the new arrival exchange greetings and eventually choose the newcomers as the way home.

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