



Reading Comprehension - Answers

Answer Key

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1. A storm, and the tide
2. Because grief doesn't pass quickly and violently like a storm - it comes and goes slowly and unpredictably, like a tide
3. Accept any reasonable explanation, e.g. it suggests each wave of grief brings something new or different with it
4. The smell of her mother's perfume from a stranger on the train
5. Accept any well-reasoned evaluation referencing the tide metaphor and its emotional accuracy, with reference to the text