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Witness by Karen Hesse

Author _____

of pages _____

Main Characters _____

Setting _____

Introduction - How does the book begin?

Conflict - What are some of the problems that Leanora and Esther have to deal with throughout the novel? What are some of the problems that other characters, including Sara Chickering and Merlin, face as well?

Rising Action - How do the characters go about solving their problems? How does Esther and Leanora's characters begin to change?

Discovery - What are some of the things that Leanora discovers about herself, about others, and about life throughout the play?

Climax - What is the turning point of the play?

Falling Action - How do some of the characters resolve their problems?

Resolution - Explain what ultimately happens to Johnny Reeves and Merlin. How does the play end?

What did you like best about this book? What did you like the least?

If there was one thing you could change about the play, what would it be?

Would you recommend this book for others to read? Why or why not?
