

1. What do you think were the old traditions used to pass the time?

2. How do you think the boys felt that night?

Slowly, they came to realise that it must be around midnight, they marked where the shadow fell and began to dig. In their ears **they could feel their excitement rise**. Their interest grew stronger and their productivity kept pace with it. The hole deepened and their hearts jumped with anticipation each time the spade hit something solid in the ground. Was this the treasure they sought?

3. What do you think the treasure might be?

At last, 'It isn't any use, Huck, we're in the wrong place again!' said Tom. 'But that can't be true Tom, we checked and checked. We have to be right this time!' Huck replied disappointedly. Reluctantly, the boys began to pack up in silence and just like many times before they travelled home empty handed with not the smallest amount of **promised treasure**. Until the next time, and that was the only happy thought, there will be a next time!!

4. Do you think the boys enjoyed this night time adventure? Why \ Why not?

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