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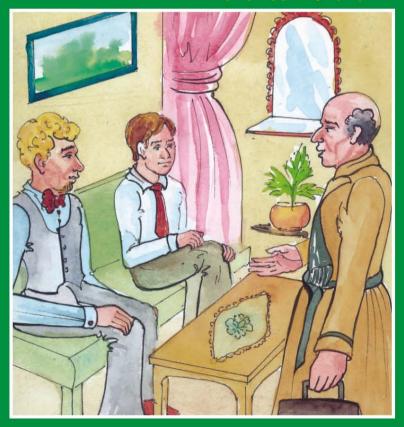
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## **My Lost Love**

Before leaving London with Magwitch, I wanted to meet Miss Havisham and Estella too. So I went to their house and found Miss Havisham sitting in her dimly-lit room.

"Miss Havisham!" I said, "I have met my benefactor."

"Well, said Miss Havisham, "it was a coincidence, in fact, Mr Jaggers was my lawyer and the lawyer of your patron."

"Yah," I turned my face to Estella who was busy knitting.

"Estella, you know I have loved you since the day I saw you."

"I know, but there is a great difference between you and me. I am going to marry Bentley Drummle," she said coolly.

"You would not marry him, Estella."

"Why not! He is wealthy and a suitable match.

I have decided," Estella said firmly.

coincidence the coming together of two events purely by chance. match a marriage, a person to be joined in marriage.

#### MY LOST LOVE



"O Estella!" I answered, "How can I bear the pain of seeing you as someone else's wife? You don't know how much I love you."

"Nonsense," she said quietly.

I was unable to speak now. I dropped my face into my hands and left Estella. I walked around London in a state of despair and returned very late to my room.

### **Questions and Exercises**

#### Chapters 13-14

- 13. My Lost Love
- 14. My Benefactor In Danger
- I. Answer the following questions:
- Q.1. Who does Pip go to meet before leaving London?
- Q.2. What news does Estella give him? How does he feel on hearing her news?
- Q.3. Why does Pip decide to take Magwitch out of London?
- Q.4. Who does Pip think Molly is?
- II. Read between the lines.
- 1. Why does Estella behave so cruelly towards Pip?
- 2. Was Magwitch right in risking his life for Pip?

#### III. Grammar

Use 'and' or 'but' to join these pairs of sentences.

- 1. I wanted to meet Miss Havisham. I wanted to meet Estella.
- 2. I was very upset. I woke up early and went to Mr Wemmick's house.
- 3. Good. Do it quickly and carefully.
- 4. He gave his approval. He cautioned me.
- 5. Miss Havisham seemed to be older. Miss Havisham seemed to be weaker.

### QUESTIONS AND EXERCISES

IV.	Voca	bulary	
	Make a noun from a verb by adding -ment		
	1.	amaze	***************************************
	2.	appoint	***************************************
	3.	enjoy	***************************************
	4.	govern	
	5.	entertain	
V.	Wri	te the meanir	ngs of the following words:
	whis	pered cor	nversation charming
	near	by	
VI.	Give the masculine of:		
	i)	woman	
	ii)	murderess	
	iii)	Mrs	
VII.	. Give the opposites of:		
	i)	old	***************************************
	ii)	early	***************************************
		upset	
	iv)	cold	
	v)	good	•••••
		morning	•••••
		quickly	•••••
	1-1-1-1	carefully	•••••
	1000	agreed	
	x)	approval	•••••