

READING CHECK

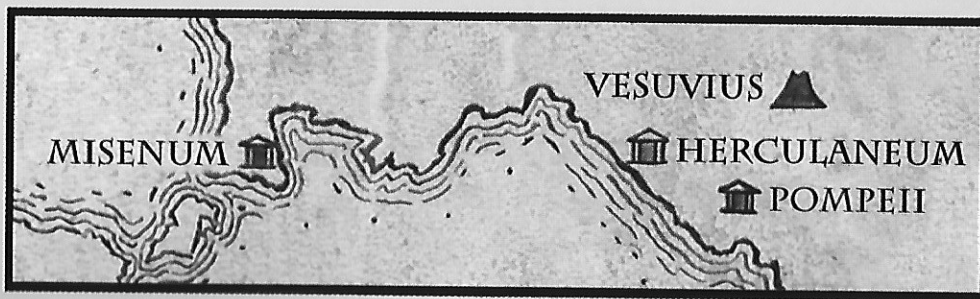
1 Complete the sentences with the people's names.

Agathe Alcander Bassus Gaius Plinius Festus Felix Petrus Rectina

- a tells Alcander the news about his mother and father.
- b Felix asks to marry him now they are both free.
- c Agathe wakes up to say she has a feeling something bad is going to happen.
- d wakes up and realizes Petrus is his son.
- e understands the volcano is dangerous and they must leave.
- f Rectina writes to her friend,, who has many boats nearby.
- g Rectina wants and Felix to take her letter.
- h Bassus and the others travel in’s carriage.

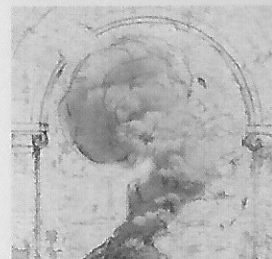
2 Complete the sentences with names from the map.

- a Bassus and Rectina’s house is in ...Pompeii....
- b A loud noise and a cloud of ash starts to come out of
- c Rectina’s friend, Admiral Gaius Plinius, has many ships in
- d Petrus wants to take Bassus and the women to in Festus’s carriage.
- e Alcander and Felix have to ride to with an important letter.

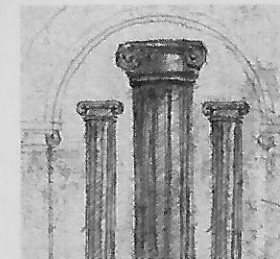


WORD WORK

1 Complete the labels with new words from Chapter 7.



a ash



b _____



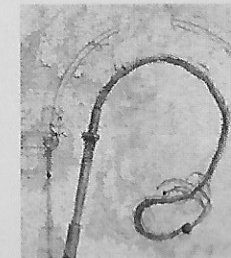
c _____



d _____



e _____



f _____

2 Match the words and the definitions.

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| a howl | 1 to talk to God or the gods |
| b huge | 2 to move out from one place to other places |
| c pray | 3 a dog makes this long, loud, high noise |
| d spread | 4 very big |

GUESS WHAT

What happens in the next chapter? Circle the words.

- a Felix and Alcander find / don't find Gaius Plinius in Misenum.
- b The ash from Vesuvius blows / doesn't blow south to Pompeii and Herculaneum.
- c Plinius gets / doesn't get the Roman ships ready to sail.
- d The ships reach / don't reach the port of Herculaneum.
- e They save / don't save Bassus, Rectina and Agathe.