

Frankenstein STUDY GUIDE QUESTIONS

****You must answer each question completely on a *separate* piece of paper ****

Letters

1. Who is writing the letters? To whom are the letters written?
2. Where is the writer of the letters, and why is he there?
3. How does he meet Victor Frankenstein?
4. How does Robert feel about his guest?
5. Why is Frankenstein in the Arctic?

Chapters 1-5

6. How did Elizabeth come to live with the Frankensteins?
7. Who is Frankenstein's closest friend?
8. What natural phenomena influenced Frankenstein?
9. What two major events happened to Frankenstein when he was seventeen?
10. How did Frankenstein feel when his experiment succeeded, and the creature came to life?
11. What happened to Frankenstein the day after he completed his creation?

Chapters 6-9

12. What news did the letter from Frankenstein's father bring?
13. What did Frankenstein see just outside the gates of Geneva as he was returning home?
14. Who was accused of committing the murder, and why?
15. What happened to the accused person?

Chapters 10-15

16. How did Frankenstein react to this meeting?
17. What did the creature want of Frankenstein?
18. How did the creature feel when he first felt life?
19. What observations did the creature make about the people in the cottage?
20. What does the creature learn to do, and how does he learn this?
21. What was the elder De Lacey's reaction when the creature entered the cottage and began speaking with him?
22. What was the reaction of the De Lacey family when they saw the creature?

Chapters 16-20

23. What did the creature do at the cottage when he returned and found that the De Laceys had moved out?
24. What discovery did the creature make when he approached another human?
25. What did the creature tell Frankenstein about the locket?
26. What did the creature ask Frankenstein to do, and why?
27. What threat did the creature make when he saw Frankenstein destroy his second creation?
28. What happened to Frankenstein when he landed his boat?

Chapter 21-24

29. What happened at Frankenstein's trial?
30. What happened on Frankenstein and Elizabeth's wedding night?
31. What was the magistrate's response when Frankenstein told him the entire story of the creature?
32. What request does Frankenstein make of Robert Walton?
33. What happened to Frankenstein at the end of the novel?
34. What happened to the creature at the end of the novel?