***To Kill a Mockingbird* Name:**

**Chapters 5 and 6 Questions Date:**

**DIRECTIONS: Answer the following questions in complete sentences.**

Chapter 5

1. What does Dill ask Scout?
2. Describe Maudie Atkinson?
3. According to Maudie Atkinson, what do “foot washers” believe?
4. Explain Miss Maudie’s statement, “sometimes the Bible in the hand of one man is worse than a whiskey bottle . . .”
5. What are two lies Dill tells about himself? Why do you think Dill tells lies about himself?
6. What do the three kids try to send Arthur Radley? Why do you think the do this?
7. Who catches them, and how does he react?
8. Compare and contrast what you know about Miss Maudie and the Radleys.

Chapter 6

1. Give two reasons why Jem and Dill wait until the last night of summer before trying to peak in a window of the Radley house?
2. What scary thing do the kids see on the back porch?
3. What does Jem leave behind?
4. How does Dill explain their way out of trouble, and what is strange about his excuse?
5. Find three metaphors for the sounds Scout hears as she lies on her cot on the back porch.