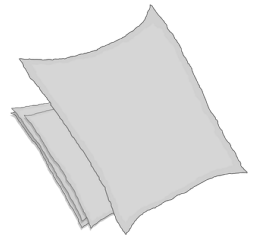


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BACKSTORY ANALYSIS: KING KARRAN'S HISTORY

Directions: King Karran tells Hugo and Calla the history of the dragonfly colony. Analyze this backstory and its connections to the present-day events.

BACKSTORY SUMMARY

What happened to the dragonflies?

Who punished them?

Why were they punished?

Was the punishment fair? Why or why not?

MAKING CONNECTIONS

King Karran's colony was exiled for a mistake. How is this similar to what might happen to Abigail? Complete the chart.

	Dragonfly Colony	Abigail
What happened		
Was it an accident or on purpose?		
What punishment do they face?		
Who has the power to punish them?		

BACKSTORY ANALYSIS:

KING KARRAN'S HISTORY

King Karran says the colony will help “then perhaps the gods will see fit to forgive us and release us from this place.” What does this tell you about the dragonflies’ motivation for helping? Is it selfless, or do they hope to gain something too?

