

Questions on “A New Perspective” and “Bread”

1. Consider the impact of the last sentence in Fein’s essay. Why does that statement have so much effect? How does the author organize her essay so that the impact is more heartfelt?
2. Has there been a time in your own life when you have experienced a shift in perspective? *(Discuss these as a group)* What causes shifts in the way you view the world? (List them)

3. What different perspectives of Bread are shown in Atwood's essay? Describe and explain each – definitely more than one word is required here!

4. Is the Bread in Atwood's essay symbolic? (I think it might be...) Look over each paragraph and determine if the bread could be symbolic of something else. Hint: This could help you determine the meaning of the last paragraph!