

Play: *The Secret Life of Bees* • Issue: October 13, 2008

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Start to Finish

In *The Secret Lives of Bees*, Lily makes new friends and learns a lot about her mother and father. These experiences change many of Lily's thoughts and feelings. In this activity, you will consider Lily's thoughts about some of the people and events in her life, and how her perspective changes from the start of the story to the end.

Directions: Describe how Lily's feelings change. Use examples from the play to support your statements.

	In the Beginning	By the End
How did Lily feel about her mother's death?		
How do you know?		
How does Lily feel about her father?		
How do you know?		
What is Lily's emotional state? (happy, sad, etc.?)		
How do you know?		