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Threads of Character Answer Key

(Sample Responses)

Character	Trait #1	Text Evidence	Trait #2	Text Evidence
Wilbur	Gentle	"Wilbur liked to lie in the warm manure pile, dreaming of friendship."	Nervous	"I don't want to die! I want to stay here in my warm manure pile."
Charlotte	Wise	"You have been my friend. That in itself is a tremendous thing."	Loyal	She keeps her promise: "You mustn't cry, Wilbur. You shall not die, my friend."
Fern	Compassionate	She begs her father not to kill the runt piglet.	Nurturing	She spends hours at the barn caring for Wilbur.
Templeton	Selfish	He only helps when promised food.	Resourceful	He brings scraps of paper with words for Charlotte.
Mr. Zuckerman	Proud	He shows off Wilbur as "Some Pig."	Practical	He decides to fatten Wilbur for the fair.