



# THE HOBBIT

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Flies and Spiders



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## Questions

Characters Introduced

1. Wood-elves
2. The Elf King

What can the company see at night in Mirkwood?

How did they cross the enchanted river?

What attacked them on the bank?

What happened to Bombur after he fell in the river?

What did the hunt signal?

Why couldn't Bilbo see the end of the forest?

Why did the company leave the path?

What happened when the company found the source of the lights?

What did Bilbo and Bombur dream about?

What happened to Bilbo when everyone disappeared?

How did the dwarves get into the trees?

How did Bilbo handle the spiders?



Why did the dwarves have a hard time getting away?

Who was missing when the dwarves were safe?

What happened to the missing dwarf?

How are wood-elves different from the High Elves?

What relationship do the dwarves and elves have?

Why won't Thorin tell the elves about their journey?

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### **Answers**

What can the company see at night in Mirkwood?

- **Eyes**

How did they cross the enchanted river?

- **A boat they found on the other side of the bank**

What attacked them on the bank?

- **A deer**

What happened to Bombur after he fell in the river?

- **He would not wake up**

What did the hunt signal?

- **They were close to the end of the season**



Why couldn't Bilbo see the end of the forest?

- **They were in a valley and the tree wasn't tall enough**

Why did the company leave the path?

- **To find the light and feast they saw in the forest**

What happened when the company found the source of the lights?

- **The people would disappear and the lights would go out**

What did Bilbo and Bombur dream about?

- **A party and a feast**

What happened to Bilbo when everyone disappeared?

- **A giant spider tried to take him**

How did the dwarves get into the trees?

- **Spiders took them**

How did Bilbo handle the spiders?

- **He used the ring and lured them away**

Why did the dwarves have a hard time getting away?

- **They were sick from the spider's poison**

Who was missing when the dwarves were safe?

- **Thorin**

What happened to the missing dwarf?

- **The wood-elves took him**

How are wood-elves different from the High Elves?

- **They are more dangerous and less intelligent**

What relationship do the dwarves and elves have?

- **They are enemies**

Why won't Thorin tell the elves about their journey?

- **He thinks the king will steal his treasure**