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The Money Pit Discussion Questions

1. Walter's father escaped from the country after engaging in what illegal activity?
2. What legal documents usually have to be signed when moving into an apartment?
3. Anna and Walter seemed to have started their relationship with a deception about the apartment. Is it reasonable to believe that Walter would not know about who was the owner of the apartment? Why or why not?
4. What was Estelle's reason for selling the house?
5. When Estelle was showing Walter and Anna the house, why did she say she was using candlelight for lighting in the house?
6. Anna wanted to pay for half of the cost of repairs to the house. How did she raise her half of the money?
7. What are building permits and why are they necessary?
8. How does the home improvement project change Anna and Walter's relationship?
9. Was buying the house a risk that paid off?
10. Would you want to live in the *Money Pit* house or a similar "fixer upper"? Why or why not?