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Singing in the Spring Comprehension Questions

1. What did Nipin's parents prepare to eat over the winter?



2. Who appeared in Nipin's dream to give her hope?

3. Why did Nipin follow the bird through the forest?

4. How did Nipin's emotions change over the course of the story and why?

5. Do you think the small bird was Nipin's mother's spirit? Why or why not?



English and Cree Vocabulary

These vocabulary words are important to the story. See them written in English and Cree!

English		Cree
girl	→	iskwêsis
mother	→	nikâwiy
dream	→	pawâtamowin
winter	→	pipon
summer	→	nîpin
spirit	→	ahcahk
bird	→	piyêsîs

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