Someone named Eva Questions

1. Just by looking at the cover what di you think the book is about?
2. Now read the back and tell me what you think the story is about? (do not copy but use your knowledge and what you have read)

Chapter 1

3. Where was the story set first and why do you think it is significant to the story?
4. The first chapter tells us alot about tha mian characters, Milada, terezie and Ruzha. Can you tell me about them, what they look like and what their personalities are like?

Chapter 2

5. What was the next event they were discussing? (p. 14)
6. Based on the paragraph on page 15 starting" A few hours later..." What do you think is happening? Why do you think so?
7. What does loud silence mean?(p. 16)
8. Why did Grandmother put the pin in Milada’s hand?
9. Why did the split up dad and the son from the girls ?(p. 18-19)
10. What happened to the girls ?(p. 21-22)
11. Why were some girls and boys being seperated out? How do you know?(p. 27-28)
12. Who was the surprise person Milada found on the bus with her?(p. 36)

Chapter 3

13. How were the girls being treated at the camp?(p. 37-46)
14. What names were given to Milada and RUzha? Why do you think those names were chosen?
15. What is the significance of the barbed wire around the camp?
16. How do you think you would deal with only being able to speak a foreign language and never to speak your own language again?

Chapter 4

17. IT seemed as though the girls were treated well. Why do you think that was?(p. 53)
18. Why did Franzizka want to impress the teachers, and why did she continue to make the other children look bad?(p. 54-55)
19. Why had it been hard for Heidi not to speak her native language and why was the punishment cruel?(p. 56-57)
20. Why are Nazis so concerned about the size of the nose, as two of the girls had an argument about it?(p. 62-63)
21. Have you ever been away from family for a long time? How did you feel? How does that compare with how Milada felt? (p.65-66)
22. Compare Franzizca with Heidi? (p66-67)
23. Who do you think had the best way to deal with this situation? Why?
24. What do you think happened to Elsa and Heidi? (67-70)

Chapter 5
25. How do you know the time of year has changed? (p 71)
26. Why do you think the Germans told the girls their families had been killed in an allied air raid rather than the truth? (p72-74)

Chapter 6
27. What do you think about what Franziska did to Gerde and the poem? have you ever done that? Why or why not?
28. Explain what happened in the town of Pushkau to Eva. What is significant about this? (p94-97)

Chapter 7
29. Where did her new family live? Tell me about them? (p. 101-107)

Chapter 8
30. What is the inference behind the sentence on page 109 “I’ll send him when we’re done wife!”?
31. How do you know they are wealthy? (Give at least 3 examples) (p. 109-112)
32. What is Herr Werners job? (p116)
33. When she received the letter from Franziska how did she react and why? (119-120)
34. SO what was the smell that was around the house always? (p.124)

Chapter 9
35. She called her liebling and made dresses for her and stroked her hair. And they were going to adopt her and have a party in her honor.

Chapter 10
36. The medals are for having children....women's cross is for 3, silver for 4 and gold for 6 children to build the new Germany.
Chapter 11

37. Bombs are heard in the distance for the first time.
38. A shooting range her father used. She had a gun buried and had been practicing.
39. She heard singing in her native language and was drawn towards the sound.
40. The Russians and allies will be looking for nazi officers. Peter wanted to go with his father.
41. They were looking for her father Werner and took away all paperwork from the office.
42. She wanted her family and it was so quiet outside something had changed. It was announced on the radio that Hitler was dead.

Chapter 13

43. They were from the Red cross and had come to take Milada home.
44. What had happened to her father and brother and grandmother and little sister? (p. 185-186)
45. What condition was her mother in? (p. 188)

Chapter 14

46. What had happened to her home town? Why? (p. 192-195)

Explain how this story was taken from real life by reading the Author's Note. What do you think about what happened? If you were nazi would you have done the same thing? Is this kind of thing happening today?