

How Much Land Does a Man Need?

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Parts 1, 2 and 3(138-142)

Vocabulary: piqued(adj), disparaged(n), forbore(v), aggrieved(adj), sheaf(n)

1. Of what does the husband boast?
2. When the people of the village heard the news of the manager buying the land, what did they attempt?
3. After the Evil One sowed discord, how was the land sold?
4. Why is Pahom envious?
5. Why does Pahom's heart fill with joy?
6. Now that Pahom is a landowner, what problem occurs regarding peasant neighbors?
- *7. Is his response to the peasants ironic? Think about how he felt toward the manager earlier in the story.
8. Does Pahom have any proof that Simon cut down his lime trees?
9. How could Pahom live "more at ease" at this point in the story? Is he happy?
10. After talking to the stranger, what is Pahom's new plan?