

Allegory in *The Lottery*: Notebook Check #9

1. The lottery:

- a. _____ - When we choose to participate in society, we leave ourselves open and vulnerable to failure and harm.
- b. _____ - If we are not the "leader," it is more likely that our fate could be chosen for us.
- c. _____ - Not even the rich, powerful, or leaders can escape fate.

2. The black box:

- a. _____ - Sometimes it is easier (and more common) to accept traditions without knowing their purpose or origin.
- b. _____ - It is easier to forget about something (especially something bad) if we keep it out of sight.

3. _____ - Everyone is responsible for the outcome of a situation no matter how small their role.

4. _____ - It's easy to accept something that our conscious tells us is wrong until we are put in that negative situation.