

3. Why did Marguerite believe everything about Mrs. Flowers was perfect? Use details and information from the excerpt to fully explain your answer.

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Marguerite believed Mrs. Flowers was perfect because she was the aristocrat of Black Stamps and she was very graceful and sophisticated. The excerpt says she wore wile dresses, flowered hats, and gloves. It also says she had the grace of control to appear warm in the coldest days and that no one got close enough to Mrs. Flowers to ruffle her dress.

4. What kind of relationship did Marguerite have with her brother Bailey? Give two examples from the story to support your answer.

x<sup>2</sup>  
Marguerite had a very close relationship with her brother Bailey because the excerpt says she loved silver-wrapped kisses more than anything in the world, except Bailey and she wanted Bailey to see Mrs. Flowers's house and enjoy it with her.