Chapter 24

Vocabulary

deplete – to drain; to use up

dissonant – disagreeable with regard to sound; jarring

oblige – to gratify or please

unhinged – disturbed; mentally unstable; crazy

1. Aside from Peeta, Katniss, Rue, and perhaps Thresh, very few of the tributes have appeared as sympathetic figures. How might you argue that Foxface is a sympathetic character?

2. Why does Katniss stop Peeta from throwing away the deadly berries?

3. What are Katniss's assumptions about Cato in this chapter? What might be his weakness, according to her?

4. Identify an example of foreshadowing in the chapter.

5. What have the Gamemakers done to drive the remaining tributes together?
6. Describe the alarming development at the end of the chapter. What is Cato desperately running from?