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### LESSON NOTES

**School:** Ba Sangam College  
**Subject:** English

**Year/Level:** 10  
**Worksheet** 18

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Year:** \_\_\_\_\_

Strand	Reading and Viewing
Sub Strand	Text Types: media, everyday communication, literary texts.
Content Learning Outcome	Explore carefully and view prudently printed media text for understanding and critical evaluation.

### Character Analysis (Continued from worksheet 17)

#### 3. Iva

- very beautiful I-Taukei girl of about 20 and many men want to marry her.
- She is an obedient child and cares for the welfare of her parents.
- she knows the expectations from her parents especially being a single child.
- she is religious and teaches Sunday school.
- she is not familiar with the complexities of relationship and is easily swayed by others.
- she loves Epeli but becomes pregnant with Atama's child.
- she strongly believes in the principles of marriage.
- confesses her love to Epeli but he refuses her after knowing that she is pregnant with Atama's child.
- knows that her parents prefer that she marries Apenisa.
- decides to elope with Atama to Suva- she realizes that it is her only hope to stay away from everyone's criticism.
- in Suva she becomes lonely- she does not know the neighbours and just stays home when Atama goes to work.
- when she hears that her father has lost his job, she becomes upset and decides to help him despite her poor financial status.
- after a while, she started behaving like a child and later as if she is possessed by an evil spirit.
- she does not want to see any priests in the house when she is possessed.
- Ilai, a witchdoctor, is able to heal her.
- she cares for her deformed child.
- Selina forces her to kill her child for her better future.
- After killing the child, she repents on what she did.

### **5. Epeli**

- I -Taukei man of about 20- same age as Iva.
- Does not strongly believe in love but becomes jealous when he finds that Iva is planning to elope with Atama.
- He attacks Atama with a knife but is overpowered.
- Iva thinks that it is Epeli who did black magic on her.

### **6. Rotu**

- Is a pastor from a church in Suva.
- He comes twice with good intentions to heal Iva- he believes in God and knows that only God could help her.
- He asks Atama to seek for forgiveness to God because they are living together without getting married.
- However, he is forced to leave on both occasions by Iva's behavior.

### **7. Tonu**

- Atama's older brother- but in almost same age category
- He disowned Atama together with his family when Atama decided to live with Iva.
- First came to Atama's house drunk and claims that he also has an I-Taukei girl friend. He says "Everyone is the same; black, white or yellow."
- Mentions about Ilai, a witchdoctor, and arranges for them to meet on Sunday.

### **8. Fea and Koko**

- Middle aged lay preachers who came to pray for Iva.
- Quite confident about the powers of God and insist on praying for Iva despite knowing about Iva's attitude.
- However, they are forced to leave because of Iva's behavior.

### **9. Ilai**

- An old I-Taukei witchdoctor who was famous for his powers.
- He lives in Rawaiqa and does not charge for his services- because if he did, his powers would go away.
- Said that he could only cure Iva if Atama fully trusted in him.
- He seemed to cure Iva with prayer and herbal medicine.

### **10. Tupou**

- Ilai's wife who assisted in preparing medicine for Iva.

### **11. Selina**

- Atama's aunt who helped him financially when his parents disowned him.
- She did not agree with Atama and Iva staying together without getting married.
- She offered to assist Iva with the delivery and care for the child.
- Was upset with Atama's drinking behavior after the birth of a deformed child.
- Talks Iva into killing the child to get rid of their problems and start a new life.