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Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes  
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**Chapter Two Comprehension Questions**  
(TEKS 7.8A, 7.Fig19F, 7.Fig19D, 7.2E)

What simile (comparison using the word *like* or *as*) is given to describe the friendship of Sadako and Chizuko, and what does the simile tell you about their friendship?

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When entering the Peace Park, “people filed through the memorial building in silence.” Why did people enter in silence, and what other experiences have you seen that are similar? (*Try thinking of an experience from another book you have read, a movie you have seen, etc. that is similar.*)

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Sadako says that people who had been burned by the atom bomb “no longer looked human.” Describe what you think this means using text evidence.

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Sadako feels that the spider brought her good “luck”. Use a dictionary to determine the best definition of the word “luck” to match how Sadako feels, and then, using a thesaurus, find a synonym that could replace the word “luck” and keep the same meaning. Describe your definition of “luck” and your synonym.

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