

CHAPTER	1. The Wrong Crib	
What happens in the chapter?	First, the narrator bring the reader in the middle of the story. She describes one of the most important characters of the story, her mother. She characterizes her mother saying that she kept a revolver in the drawer and the bullets in a tin, she stayed up all night baking cakes to avoid sleeping in the same bed as her husband. So she started a description of her behavior and that she goes on with her physical appearance focusing her attention on her health problems. Then she explains her condition and the reader discovers that she has been adopted. She adds a citation from one of her books. After that she started talking about her life describing a particular situation which explains her relationship with her mother and she analyzes her behaviour and the reason why she decided to become a writer.	<p><b>Cold War:</b> The Cold War, often dated from 1947–1991, was a sustained state of political and military tension between the powers of the <u>Western world</u>, led by the <u>United States</u> and its <u>NATO allies</u>, and the <u>communist world</u>, led by the <u>Soviet Union</u>, its <u>satellite states</u> and allies.</p> <p><b>McCarthyism:</b> the practice of making accusations of disloyalty, especially of pro-Communist activity, in many instances unsupported by proof or based on slight, doubtful, or irrelevant evidence</p> <p><b>Oranges are not the only fruit:</b> novel by Jeanette Winterson published in 1985.</p>
What is the function of the chapter?	The function of the first chapter is to introduce the most important characters of the book: the protagonist, Jeanette Winterson, who is also the narrator, and her mother, their relationship and the reason why they behave in a certain way.	
Who is the main character in the chapter?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- the personal I: Jeanette Winterson, the protagonist of the book</li> <li>- Mrs W: Jeanette's mother</li> </ul>	
Which is the main information?	I think that the main information of the chapter is the description of the mother and so her relationship with Jeanette because the childhood of the writer and in consequence her relationship with her family bring her to become what she is now.	
What is the narrative technique?	<p>The text is written in first person, so there is a first person narrator who is Jeanette Winterson herself.</p> <p>In addition there are a lot of simple and short sentences but there isn't a real story line but she starts describing, for example, her mother, and she associates ideas in sequence.</p>	

CHAPTER	2. My Advice To Anybody Is: Get Born	
What happens in the chapter?	The second chapter starts with the description of Manchester, its history and its features focusing on its industrial and economic characteristics. Then she reflected on the importance of the place and time when/where you were born on the behaviour of a person, and on the condition of people in the poor classes of the society. Finally she goes on with the story of her life and her birth.	<b>Peterloo massacres:</b> On the 16th of August 1819 the huge open area around what's now St Peter's Square, Manchester, played host to an outrage against over 60,000 peaceful pro-democracy and anti-poverty protesters; All in the name of liberty and freedom from poverty. The Massacre occurred during a period of immense political tension and mass protests. Fewer than 2% of the population had the vote, and hunger was rife with the disastrous corn laws making bread unaffordable.
What is the function of the chapter?	In the second chapter the setting was explained. It starts with the description of Manchester and she makes an historical overview of the city.	<b>Corn Laws:</b> <u>trade laws</u> designed to <u>protect cereal producers</u> in the <u>United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland</u> against competition from less expensive foreign <u>imports</u> between 1815 and 1846.
Who is the main character in the chapter?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- the personal I: Jeanette Winterson, the protagonist of the book</li> <li>- Mrs W: Jeanette's mother</li> </ul>	<b>Utopian:</b> is an ideal <u>community</u> or <u>society</u> possessing a desirable <u>socio-politico-legal system</u> .
Which is the main information?	I think the main information in the chapter is the description, mainly historical, of the city of Manchester.	<b>Utilitarianism:</b> is a theory in <u>normative ethics</u> holding that the proper course of action is the one that maximizes overall "happiness".
What is the narrative technique?	The text is written in first person, so there is a first person narrator who is Jeanette Winterson herself. In addition there are a lot of simple and short sentences but there isn't a real story line but she starts describing, for example, her mother, and she associates ideas in sequence.	<b>Quakerism:</b> Quakers believe that there is something of God in everybody and that each human being is of unique worth. This is why Quakers value all people equally, and oppose anything that may harm or threaten them. Quakers seek religious truth in inner experience, and place great reliance on conscience as the basis of morality.