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Extra Reading Comprehension Exercises

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COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

A. Based on the information in the reading, put a checkmark before the statements that are true. Correct the statements that are false.

- □ 1. Ms. Hartley is in her forties.
- □ 2. When Ms. Hartley was growing up, children were less polite.
- **3**. When Ms. Hartley was growing up, the main meal was dinner.
- □ 4. Both Ms. Hartley and her brother were allowed to date at the age of sixteen.
- □ 5. Ms. Hartley didn't use *sir* or *madam* with adults; she used *Mr*. and *Mrs*.

CRITICAL THINKING

- B. Based on the information in the Reading, do you agree with the following statements? Explain your answers.
- **1.** People who reflect positively on "the way things were" prefer the past because they have forgotten the difficulties.

2. Like the South, many cultures around the world are becoming less socially conservative, which is a good thing.