

Vocabulary

The Keeping Quilt

Key Vocabulary for Test

1. **border**: a part that forms the outside edge of something
2. **gathering**: a coming together of people
3. **needles**: small, thin tools used for sewing
4. **scraps**: leftover bits of cloth
5. **sewn**: fastened with stitches using a needle and thread
6. **threaded**: passed thread through the eye of a needle

Extra Practice

7. **hauling**: pulling or carrying
8. **artificial**: not real or natural; fake
9. **babushka**: a woman's scarf; from the Russian word meaning "grandmother"
10. **challah**: a loaf of white bread, often braided, that traditionally is eaten at special Jewish celebrations
11. **linen**: cloth made from fibers of the flax plant
12. **handkerchief**: a square piece of cloth used for wiping the face or nose;
a scarf
13. **huppa**: canopy under which traditional Jewish weddings are performed

14. **poverty**: being very poor

15. **bouquet**: a bunch of flowers