

**Snapshot Response to
“If You Made a Million”
by David M. Schwartz**

1. How is the last paragraph different from other paragraphs in this Selection Snapshot, or from paragraphs in nonfiction selections? Why do you think it is written this way?

Possible response: This nonfiction selection has fantasy mixed in, such as buying an elephant or a house or getting a job training ogres. I think it is written this way to make a lot of facts seem more interesting and entertaining.

2. Did you need to reread any part of the Snapshot? How did that help you? What else could you have done?

Students should explain how rereading helps improve comprehension. Along with rereading, students could ask an adult or a classmate for help.

3. Tell what you would do if you made a million dollars. Use the Snapshot's boldface words to get you started.

Responses will vary. Be sure that students incorporate the boldface words and write a scenario that makes sense on some level, whether realistic or fantastic.