

# Becca and the Bell Pit – Five Minute Quiz

The answers are shown at the bottom of the page.

Can you beat the clock and still get all of the answers correct?

1. Each morning the miners had make the mine usable by baling out the
2. Families slept on a straw
3. A fox lives in a
4. The garment worn by girls to bed and under their dresses was called a
5. The sides of the pit shaft were lined with a mixture of clay and chopped
6. The person who stayed at the top to lower people into the bell pit and pull them out was the
7. The walls of the hovel were made from
8. Coal was pulled up the mineshaft in a basked attached by a rope to the machine at the top, a
9. The pit was lit by a candle which was lit by striking a
10. Food was eaten out of a bowl made of
11. The tool used to chip lumps of coal from the coal seam was a
12. The small beer was taken down the pit in a

den father flagon flint gorse mattress pick shift turf water winch wood

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Each morning the miners had make the mine usable by baling out the water

Families slept on a straw mattress

A fox lives in a den

The garment worn by girls to bed and under their dresses was called a shift

The sides of the pit shaft were lined with a mixture of clay and chopped gorse

The person who stayed at the top to lower people into the bell pit and pull them out was the father

The walls of the hovel were made from turf

Coal was pulled up the mineshaft in a basket attached by a rope to the machine at the top, a winch

The pit was lit by a candle which was lit by striking a flint

Food was eaten out of a bowl made of wood

The tool used to chip lumps of coal from the coal seam was a pick

The small beer was taken down the pit in a flagon