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The soldier broke. His pride crumbled, revealing the guilt he had long masked. He tore at his shirt, sobbing, “What shall I do? I’ve killed many people!” He fell to his knees, pleading with God for forgiveness. Richard prayed with him and when they rose, he embraced Borila.

*“If she, a sinner like us, can forgive, imagine how Jesus—who is perfect love—can forgive you.”*

Then Richard gently woke Sabina. “There’s a man here who killed your family,” he said softly. “But he has repented. He is now our brother.” Sabina’s breath caught. The pain of her loss surged, but so did something deeper: compassion. Without hesitation, she stepped forward and embraced Borila. Their tears mingled – those of a killer and a survivor. And then, just as Richard had said, she went to the kitchen and prepared him a meal.



## Investigating the Story

### 1. What is the main point of the story?

- a) An unexpected man gives his life to Jesus.
- b) Sabina forgives generously – showing Jesus’ love in action.*
- c) A social experiment.

### 2. What was the outcome of Richard’s experiment?

- a) Sabina resented the man for murdering her family and quickly kicked him out of her home.
- b) Borila didn’t believe Richard and stormed off, angry at his attempt to convert him.
- c) Richard was right; Sabina forgave the man and even cooked him a meal, treating him just like family.*

### 3. How does Sabina’s forgiveness demonstrate God’s work in her heart?

*Circle all that are true.*

- a) She didn’t hold onto bitterness and unforgiveness in her heart.*
- b) She didn’t want to forgive but knew she had to because it’s the Christian thing to do.
- c) She allowed Christ to heal her heart so that she could love those who hurt her.*
- d) She didn’t want to forgive, but her husband told her to in order to win a soul for Christ.