

# “Bloodchild” Diagrams

Name:

**Directions:** Complete the chart exploring the relationship and characteristics of Gan and Qui & T’Gatoi and Lien from Octavia Butler’s short story, “Bloodchild.”

Describe their relationship in detail. Use a quote to support:

Gan

Qui

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Describe Gan’s Father. Use a quote to support

Do you believe he will ever get “away” from the Preserve? How?

What does Gan mean when he says, *“I was not Qui. It seemed I could become him, though, with no effort at all.”* Respond in at least three sentences.

T'Gatoi

Describe their relationship in detail

Lien

What does T'Gatoi look like? Use a quote to support

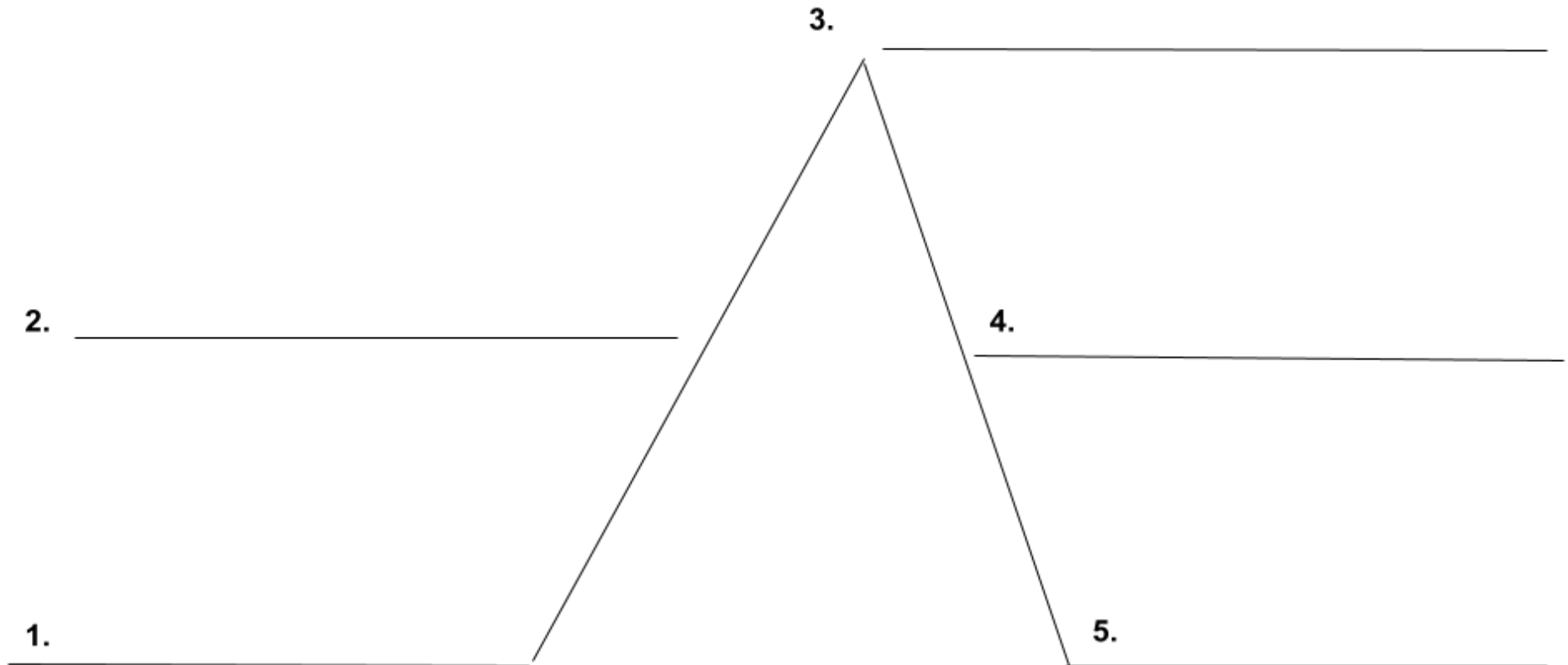
Describe her relationship with Gan. Use a quote to support:

Why did Lien promise T'Gatoi one of her children?

Why do you believe Lien doesn't drink from the eggs? Use a quote to support.

In three sentences, How do you feel that T'Gatoi had been taken from the flesh of Gan's father?

**Directions:** Label key events along the lines of the plot diagram.



What is The Preserve? How is its society structured? Use a quote to support