





Johnny Appleseed's Characteristics



Directions: Match the words below that describe John Chapman (Johnny Appleseed).

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| 1. Born in Leominster, Massachusetts and traveled to Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois and kept moving westward. | |
| 2. Planted 50 apple trees on more than 100,000 acres in various states to make the lives of people moving westward easier. | |
| 3. Gathered nuts, berries and other forest food in his pan to eat. | |
| 4. Shared knowledge with Indians about the medicinal uses of herbs like mullein and penny royal. | |
|   Mullein Penny Royal | |
| 5. People found his voice interesting when he told stories or updated them on what was happening in other places. He had a voice that was as strong and loud as the roar of waves or as soft and soothing as warm air. | |
| 6. Gave people in need apple seeds and even the shoes off of his feet. | |
| 7. As a young man started his own nursery with items like trees and herbs. | |
| 8. A real man whose great tasks people began to exaggerate after his death. Are the stories told today true or folklore? | |

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