

Chapter Questions: The Autumn of the Earthquake 8

1. Swat lies on a geological fault line. What is a fault line?
2. What is the date of the devastating earthquake that took place?
3. Describe the difference between Malala's mother's and father's reaction to the earthquake.
4. How large of an area was effected? To which state in North America did she compare the size?
5. Approximately how many people had been killed? How many were children?
6. How did Malala and her family respond?
7. Why were many attempts to drop supplies to victims ultimately futile?
8. Which Islamic organization was the most visible?
9. What does it mean that some of them were "fronts for military groups"?
10. What was the main purpose of the JuD
11. In this devastating earthquake, thousands of children were orphaned. Many of them were taken in by the JuD. In these madrasas (welfare schools), the teaching does not follow a "normal curriculum". Explain what the students learn.
12. What did the Mullahs preach about God and the Earthquake?