

“Little Things are Big,” Jesús Colón



MAKE AN INFERENCE	
STEP 1	Read/View the text.
STEP 2	Read the question.
STEP 3	List relevant details.
STEP 4	Put thoughts together.
STEP 5	Determine what they mean.

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What is the speaker contemplating as he exits the subway?

Two children, boy & girl, 3 & 5-years-old

Trailed after her

Baby in right arm; big suitcase in left hand.

Two more kids walking behind!

Arms are full!

I'm wondering if this is safe?

Somehow she managed

Implies it wasn't easy.

Why is she alone? Husband? Father?

She was preparing to get off.

I was getting off, too.

In a city.

They are going in the same direction.

Lady got on subway.

Picturing a young, attractive female.

Nice looking

Early 20s

That's a lot for her to do alone.

Going to be a problem for her

Whether or not to help her exit the subway.