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**CHARACTER COMPARISON**

On the first page of *From Ant to Eagle*, Calvin tells us: “I’m the one who killed Sammy” (his brother). Much later we learn that Aleta also blames herself for her mother’s death. In the activity below, compare Cal and Aleta’s response to the loss of a loved one.

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|  | CALVIN | ALETA |
| Relationship with sibling  before & after the death of their loved one |  |  |
| Relationship with parent(s) |  |  |
| Why do they blame themselves? |  |  |
| What emotions do they feel? |  |  |
| How do they express these emotions? |  |  |
| How do they deal with these emotions? |  |  |
| How do they react to Oliver? |  |  |
| How do they heal? Do they? |  |  |