

from THE BOOK OF MARGERY KEMPE

COPY MASTER

Reading Check

Directions: Recall the events in Margery Kempe’s autobiography. Then answer each question in one or two sentences.

1. Margery Kempe describes a time in her life in which she wants to confess a sin but doesn’t. What hinders her from making her confession?

2. Thinking she is about to die, she decides to confess her sin. What happens during her confession?

3. Describe what Kempe experiences when she says she “went out of her mind”?

4. What happens that puts an end to her torment?

5. What does she ask for? Does that show her husband, friends, and keepers that she has her wits and reason as before?
