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1. Q. If you were Haley's friend, what responsibilities would you have, if any, for helping her?
 - a. Being Haley's friend I would have the responsibility to tell her that the behavior Dan is exhibiting towards her is not normal and that a boyfriend should be loving and caring, not making fun of her faults and mistakes as if he was perfect. I honestly would make Hailey hang out with me on purpose just so he could get upset and show her his true colors. I would also call him out, anytime he disrespects Hailey in front of me.
2. Q. If you were Dan's friend what might you say to alter his behaviors?
 - a. I will tell Dan that he has a sweet girl and his actions are going to change that sweet girl into a mean girl. I would also explain to him how it would feel vice versa if she was calling him names. I would also explain to him that you are supposed to treat women gently because women tend to think with their emotions.
3. How does the concept of reflected appraisal, discussed in chapter 9 applied to this case?
 - a. The concept of reflected appraisal applies to this case because reflective appraisal is the process of seeing ourselves through the eyes of others. If

Dan saw himself through the eyes of Hailey he would see that she is trying her best to be the best girlfriend and she shouldn't be walking on eggshells in a relationship. If Dan was able to see himself through Amy's eyes, he would see that Amy is severely concerned about her good friend's mental and physical health. He would also see how his action is a hindrance to Haileys growth and confidence. He would see he sucked the life and positivity out of his girlfriend.