"It wasn't just Rahim Khan on the line it was my past of unatoned sins."
"A week later, I sat on a window seat aboard a Pakistani international airlines flight."

- Foreshadowing
- How important fixing his sins and how guilty he feels
- Hooks
- Building tension
- The unatoned sins makes the reader desperate to know whereas the second quote lets the reader know that they're about to find out.
- Begins to show the novel is drawing to a close
- Suspense and shock

Opening: this chapter is quite sudden after the previous chapter as it is now June 2001. And addresses a completely different problem from the previous chapter as the story returns to chapter 1 and Rabin Khan calling and asking for Amir to come to Pakistan whereas in the previous chapter Amir and Soraya had found out that they can't have children.

Middle: Amir discovers that Rahim Khan wants to speak to him back in Pakistan and also portrays how much time has passed since chapter 13 also links back to chapter 1 and allows the reader to understand through the information they have gained from chapters 12-13.

In this chapter Amir and the reader discover that Rahim Khan is still alive and that he wants to see Amir in Pakistan which causes a large amount of suspense as the reader doesn't know why Rahim Khan wants to see Amir and leaves the reader with a narrative hook. However it is suspected that Rahim Khan wants to speak to Amir about Hassan's rape because in chapter one Rahim Khan says “there is a way to be good again”.

"June 2001"
Change in time
Jumped about 20 years - confusion in the reader
Taken half the novel to go from 70's to 2001 and then the rest of the