

# Siddhartha Multiple Choice 3-4

Chapters 3-4

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1. Your Name: Last, First \*

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2. What is Jetavana? \*

1 point

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- A. It is the name of the town where Siddhartha grew up.
- B. It is the Buddha's favorite place to stay.
- C. It is a trance-like state of euphoria.
- D. It is a prayer recited by the Samanas each evening.

3. By what qualities do Siddhartha and Govinda recognize the Buddha? \*

1 point

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- A. They recognize him by his robe and staff.
- B. They recognize him by the wisdom in his eyes and his aura of tranquility.
- C. They recognize him only by his complete sense of peacefulness and calm.
- D. They recognize him by his choice of clothing and his euphoric expression.

4. Why is Siddhartha not very curious about the teachings of the Buddha? \* 1 point

*Mark only one oval.*

- A. Siddhartha has not heard of the Buddha.
- B. He does not agree with what the Buddha teaches.
- C. He does not think the Buddha can teach him anything new.
- D. Since the Buddha is not a Samana, Siddhartha does not care to listen to him.

5. What is Siddhartha's response to Govinda's question about following the Buddha? \* 1 point

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- A. He becomes angry with Govinda for wanting to leave the Samanas.
- B. Siddhartha blesses Govinda, wishes him well, and says he will not go with Govinda to follow the Buddha.
- C. He agrees with Govinda, and they both prepare to leave the Samanas to follow the Buddha.
- D. He says, "What is a Buddha?"

6. What does the Buddha warn Siddhartha to be on his guard against? \* 1 point

*Mark only one oval.*

- A. Too much cleverness
- B. Loose women
- C. Greed
- D. False teachers

7. What separates Govinda and Siddhartha? \*

1 point

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- A. Govinda is discouraged and leaves the Samanas for a life of the senses.
- B. Govinda joins the Buddha's community.
- C. Siddhartha is bitten by a poisonous snake and dies.
- D. Siddhartha returns to his home village.

8. What does Siddhartha realize has left him "like the old skin that a snake sheds"? \*

1 point

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- A. He has lost his sense of Self while traveling with the Samanas.
- B. He has lost his friendship with Govinda.
- C. He has lost the desire to have teachers and to listen to their teaching.
- D. His soul has left him unfulfilled.

9. What realization gives Siddhartha the feeling of awakening from a long dream? \*

1 point

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- A. He realizes he has been afraid of being himself, and so he has tried to lose himself in the teachings of others.
- B. After meeting women, he realizes what he has missed by denying his senses.
- C. He realizes how foolish the Buddha's teaching are.
- D. He realizes that he needs to return home to ask for his father's forgiveness.

10. After Siddhartha decides not to join the Buddha's community, from whom does he choose to learn? \* 1 point

*Mark only one oval.*

- A. He chooses to learn from Govinda.
- B. He chooses to learn from himself.
- C. He chooses to learn from the university.
- D. He chooses to learn from his father.

11. After Siddhartha leaves Jetavana grove, where does he initially intend to go? \* 1 point

*Mark only one oval.*

- A. He intends to follow the Buddha.
- B. He intends to go seek peace in the mountains.
- C. He intends to find a wife.
- D. He intends to go home to see his father.

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