Quiz

1. What is the English translation of Himmel Street?

1. Heaven Street
2. Hotdog Street
3. Rubble Street
4. High Street

2. Where does Liesel’s brother die?

1. In the hospital
2. On a train
3. At home in bed
4. In Hans and Rosa’s basement

3. Why does Rudy cover his body with coal?

1. To be invisible at night
2. To play a black cat in the school play
3. To imitate his hero, Jesse Owens
4. To avoid joining the Hitler Youth group

4. At the book burning, when Liesel says she hates Hitler, Hans slaps her. He does this because

1. He is extremely patriotic and loves Hitler
2. It is very dangerous for Liesel to speak against Hitler in public, and Hans wants to make sure she never does it again
3. She has just stolen a book, and he wants to teach her stealing is wrong
4. He is sick of listening to her complain

5. Ilsa Hermann, the mayor’s wife, lost her son. He died

1. In Russia
2. In a car accident
3. In World War I
4. During childbirth

6. Liesel and Max are initially wary of each other. They begin to form a friendship when they start comparing their nightmares. Their nightmares are similar because

1. They both dream of being chased by dogs, and Liesel and Max are both afraid of dogs.
2. They both left family members behind in order to escape to safety.
3. They both dream of being sent to the concentration camps.
4. They both dislike Rosa Hubermann and dream that she is a monster.

7. Liesel continues going to Ilsa Hermann’s house after Ilsa fires Rosa because

1. Ilsa gives her cookies
2. She steals books from the library
3. Rudy convinces her to steal food from the kitchen
4. She thinks she can get Rosa’s job back

8. When Rudy rescues Liesel’s book from the river, he hopes to be rewarded with

1. An apple
2. A cigarette
3. A reading lesson
4. A kiss

9. Despite having no money for food or presents, the Hubermanns have “the greatest Christmas ever.” Why?

1. Because Hans plays his accordion
2. Because Max reads them a story
3. Because Liesel builds a snowman in the basement
4. Because Rosa builds a fire in the fireplace

10. When Max gets sick, Rosa and Hans are very worried that

1. They can’t afford medicine
2. His illness is contagious
3. His coughing will alert the neighbors
4. He’ll die and they’ll have to get rid of his body

11. According to Death, everyone in Nazi Germany had to take their turn being punished. What was Hans’s punishment?

1. Being sent to war
2. Being sent to Dachau
3. Being forced to memorize MKPF
4. Losing his job

12. After Hans leaves, Rosa stays up holding his accordion each night because

1. She doesn’t want Liesel to play with it
2. She wants to learn to play it herself
3. It makes her feel close to her husband
4. She is worried it will get stolen

13. When Himmel Street is bombed, Liesel is not killed because

1. She is in Ilsa Hermann’s library
2. She is riding bikes with Rudy
3. She is in the Hubermanns’ basement
4. She is looking for Max in the forest

14. Rudy finally gets what he wants from Liesel after the bombing when she gives him

1. A teddy bear
2. The fourth Hitler Youth medal
3. A kiss
4. A book