



Comprehension Questions

1. Where is the story set?
 - a in a town in America
 - b in Memphis, where Elvis once lived
 - c in a town in Ancient Egypt
 - d in Tutenkhamun
 - e in Leyton-Nefer

2. What does Beth and Scarab's dad do for a living?
 - a he is an undertaker
 - b he is a chariot racer
 - c he builds pyramids
 - d he buys and sells camels
 - e he designs chariots for rich people

3. Why were people not sad about the thought of dying?
 - a because they knew they would get a fancy sarcophagus
 - b because it was something that happened to everyone
 - c because they got to have their name written on parchment
 - d because being buried in the sand was comfortable
 - e because they believed that the Afterlife was amazing

4. A strange man approached Beth and her Leyton-Nefer. What was so strange about his request?
 - a he asked for a gold sarcophagus
 - b he asked for a sarcophagus for someone who hadn't even died
 - c he asked for a sarcophagus big enough for two people
 - d he asked for a decorated sarcophagus
 - e he asked for a very tiny sarcophagus



5. Where do Beth and Scarab need to be on Thursday at midnight?
- a by the tomb of the last pyramid on the right
 - b in the tomb of the last pyramid on the left
 - c in the sarcophagus by the middle pyramid
 - d next to the tomb of the second to last pyramid on the left
 - e to the left of the last pyramid