THE GLASS CASTLE

by Jeannette Walls

TEST 1

1. What did Rose Mary inherit from her mother?
   A.) Cash
   B.) Land
   C.) Oil Paintings
   D.) Stocks & Bonds

2. What was the Glass Castle?
   A.) The name of the house in Rex’s blueprints
   B.) The royal castle in Jeannette’s favorite story
   C.) The name of the motel the family squatted in
   D.) The invisible castle in Lori’s make-believe world

3. What was the Piggy Bank Special that Rose Mary bought to drive to West Virginia?
   A.) 1952 Buick
   B.) 1953 Cadillac
   C.) 1955 Chevy
   D.) 1956 Oldsmobile

4. According to Rose Mary, even Hitler had a redeeming quality. What was it?
   A.) He loved dogs
   B.) He sang opera
   C.) He painted
   D.) He loved to tend his garden

5. What was the name of the car Jeannette fell out of?
   A.) Green Lantern
   B.) Green Caboose
   C.) Blue Goose
6. As a reporter for Welch High School’s Maroon Wave, what famous W. Va. native did Jeannette interview?
   A.) Kathy Mattea
   B.) Don Knotts
   C.) Chuck Yeager
   D.) Pearl S. Buck

7. What did Rex use to fix the neighbor’s TV?
   A.) Tin foil
   B.) Bubble gum
   C.) Band-Aid
   D.) Macaroni noodle

8. How long did Rose Mary claim she was pregnant with Lori?
   A.) 11 months
   B.) 12 months
   C.) 14 months
   D.) 15 months

9. What did it mean to “check out Rex Walls-style”?
   A.) Leave without paying
   B.) Get the lay of the land
   C.) Confuse the clerk into giving too much change
   D.) Use a “borrowed” credit card

10. Where did the kids ride during the move from Blythe to Battle Mountain?
    A.) In the back seat of the Blue Caboose
    B.) In the back of the pickup truck under a tarp
    C.) In the back of the U-Haul
    D.) On a bus by themselves

11. What kind of degree did Rose Mary have?
    A.) Nursing
B.)  Business
C.)  Art
D.)  Teaching

12. When they moved the piano into the railroad depot house, where did it end up?
   A.)  In the former ticket office
   B.)  In the center of the depot waiting area
   C.)  On the back porch
   D.)  In the back yard

13. What was Jeannette’s favorite book as a young girl?
   A.)  Black Beauty
   B.)  Laura Ingalls Wilder books
   C.)  We Were There series
   D.)  The Old Man and the Sea

14. What were Jeannette’s favorite rocks to find, and the special one she kept from her collection when they moved?
   A.)  Geode
   B.)  Quartz
   C.)  Obsidian
   D.)  Iron Pyrite

15. Where did Jeannette learn how to swim?
   A.)  Under the waterfall
   B.)  The Hot Pot
   C.)  In the pond by the house at Battle Mountain
   D.)  In the creek near Grandma Smith’s house

16. What did Rex’s mother want her grandchildren to call her?
   A.)  Maureen
   B.)  Mimi
   C.)  Erma
   D.)  Grandmother
17. In Jeannette’s earliest memory, she is 3 years old, cooking hot dogs, when what happened?
   A.) She spilled boiling water on her
   B.) She fell off the chair
   C.) She caught on fire
   D.) She caused a fire in the kitchen

18. What animal licked Jeannette’s hand at the Phoenix zoo?
   A.) Tiger
   B.) Giraffe
   C.) Bear cub
   D.) Cheetah

19. What was one of Rex’s most important inventions?
   A.) The Star Searcher
   B.) The Prospector
   C.) The Water Witch
   D.) The Gold Buster

20. What did Grandma Smith used to be?
   A.) A Wild West sharpshooter
   B.) A hairdresser
   C.) A waitress
   D.) A flapper