

Trivia Answers

Sheet Five

- 1) Which novel opens and closes with the letters of Robert Walton? -
Answer - Frankenstein by Mary Shelley
- 2) Which of her own characters did Agatha Christie call "a detestable, bombastic, tiresome, egocentric little creep"? - **Answer - Hercule Poirot**
- 3) What is the name of the castle with the four thrones, from which the Pevensie siblings rule Narnia for many years? - **Answer - Cair Paravel**
- 4) Who wrote the Sanskrit epic The Ramayana? - **Answer - Valmiki**
- 5) In the pages of which long-lived publication, notable for its support of early Australian literature, did Henry Lawson and Banjo Paterson conduct their feud? - **Answer - The Bulletin**
- 6) In Alan Moore's graphic novel V for Vendetta the anarchist wears a mask of which real-life person? - **Answer - Guy Fawkes**
- 7) How many pages is the 'Wife Project' survey in Graeme Simsion's Rosie Project? - **Answer - Sixteen**
- 8) Which Turkish author was awarded the 2006 Nobel Prize in Literature? - **Answer - Orhan Pamuk**
- 9) Who were the writers Currer, Ellis, and Acton Bell better known as? -
Answer - Charlotte, Emily and Anne Brontë
- 10) Which Australian novel won the Commonwealth Writer's Prize in 2009? - **Answer - The Slap by Christos Tsiolkas**