

## **Rip Van Winkle by Washington Irving**

### **A. True/False. Write T for a true statement. Write F for a false statement.**

1. Rip was naturally a thirsty soul, and was soon tempted to repeat the draft. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Rip rubbed his eyes – it was a bright sunny midday. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Rip looked round for his gun, but in place of the clean, well-oiled fowling piece, he found an old firelock lying by him. \_\_\_\_\_
4. Rip determined to revisit the scene of the last evening's gambol, and if Rip met with any of the party, to demand his dog and hat. \_\_\_\_\_
5. Rip found the gully up with he and his companion had ascended the preceding evening; but to his astonishment a mountain stream was now foaming down it.
  
6. Rip found the house gone to decay the roof fallen in, the windows shattered, and the doors off the hinges. \_\_\_\_\_

### **II. Multiple choice. Click on the correct answer**

1. On waking, Rip found himself on the green knoll whence he had first seen:
  - a. The tired man of the glen
  - b. The old woman of the glen
  - c. The old man of the glen
2. Rip whistled after his dog and shouted his name Wolf, but all in vain; the echoes repeated his whistle and shout:
  - a. But no dog was to be seen
  - b. But dog was to be seen
  - c. But dog was sleeping far away
3. At length Rip reached to where the ravine had opened through the cliffs to the amphitheater:
  - a. But traces of such opening still remained
  - b. But no traces of such opening remained
  - c. But no traces of such way remained
4. The morning was passing away, and Rip felt famished for want of his:
  - a. Gun
  - b. Wolf
  - c. Breakfast

### **III. Answer the followings questions:**

1. Why is Dame Rip Van Winkle dissatisfied with her husband?
  
  
  
  
  
2. What do the mountains represent to Rip?