Chapter 14: Heal the World

Choose the correct meaning of the underlined word from the given options.

1. Create

(a) Destroy
(b) Ignore
(c) Fear
(d) Build

2. Happy Tears

(a) Tears of pain
(b) Tears of joy
(c) Tears of anger
(d) Fake tears

3. Swords into Plowshares

(a) Weapons into farming tools
(b) Swords into shields
(c) War into more war
(d) Metal into jewellery

4. Cared

(a) Ignored
(b) Hated
(c) Loved and valued
(d) Forgotten

5. Space

(a) Room for improvement
(b) A physical area
(c) A gap in time

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(d) A small box

6. Love

(a) Hatred
(b) Fear
(c) Confusion
(d) Deep affection

7. Brighter

(a) Darker
(b) More confusing
(c) More hopeful
(d) Smaller

8. Sorrow

(a) Pain or sadness
(b) Happiness
(c) Anger
(d) Surprise

9. Heal

(a) Break
(b) Ignore
(c) Forget
(d) Repair and improve

10. Spirits

(a) Inner strength
(b) Physical bodies
(c) Fears
(d) Weapons

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Multiple-choice questions

1. The opening line "Create a world with no fear" suggests the poet's desire for:

   (a) A utopian society free from violence and anxiety
   (b) Complete elimination of all human emotions
   (c) A world where people never take risks
   (d) Only children to live without fears

2. The phrase "turn their swords into plowshares" is a metaphor for:

   (a) Encouraging more industrial development
   (b) Suggesting farmers should become soldiers
   (c) Advocating for technological advancement in warfare
   (d) Converting weapons into agricultural tools, symbolizing peace

3. When the poet says "we'll cry happy tears," he means:

   (a) Crying from watching sad movies
   (b) Artificial tears with no real emotion
   (c) Tears of joy from achieving global harmony
   (d) Only children should cry happily

4. The line "if you cared enough for the living" implies that:

   (a) Only certain people deserve care

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(b) Current societal indifference needs to change

(c) Caring is unnecessary for world peace

(d) The dead should be prioritized over the living

5. The chorus "Heal the world/Make it a better place" primarily advocates for:

(a) Individual success over community welfare

(b) Medical advancements only

(c) Environmental protection exclusively

(d) Collective responsibility in creating global improvement

6. The poet's reference to "spirits never die" suggests:

(a) Eternal human resilience and hope

(b) Literal belief in ghosts

(c) That physical bodies don't matter

(d) Religious conversion is necessary

7. The line "you are all my brothers" expresses:

(a) Only biological siblings matter

(b) Universal human kinship and solidarity

(c) Male dominance in society

(d) Exclusion of sisters from this vision

8. "Make a little space to make a better place" means we should:

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(a) Create room in our lives for positive change

(b) Physically expand our living areas

(c) Reduce the world's population

(d) Only focus on personal space

9. The contrast between "hurt or sorrow" and the poet's vision emphasizes:

(a) That pain is inevitable

(b) People should suppress their emotions

(c) The possibility of emotional transformation

(d) Only certain emotions are valuable

10. The recurring theme of "a better place" throughout the poem refers to:

(a) Both physical and emotional improvement globally

(b) Only environmental clean-up

(c) Just better housing for people

(d) Superior technological advancements

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