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Dorgan – English 1302 Assignments

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Macbeth Acts Three, Four, and Five Questions

Directions: As you continue reading *Macbeth* (<https://shakespeare.folger.edu/shakespeares-works/macbeth/>) answer these questions using complete sentences. Submit the completed assignment to Turnitin by May 14, 2020 by 11:59 P.M.

Macbeth: Act Three Questions

Act 3, Scene I

1. Where does this scene take place?
2. What is Banquo's opinion of what has happened?
3. What do Banquo and Macbeth discuss?
4. Why is Macbeth upset over the witches' prophecy about Banquo?
5. How does Macbeth convince the murderers to kill Banquo?

Act III, Scene II

6. What does Lady Macbeth tell her husband?
7. What does Lady Macbeth know about the plot to kill Banquo?

Act III, Scene III

8. What happens when the murderers attack Banquo and Fleance?
9. Why do they say the "best half" got away?

Act III, Scene IV

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10. How does Macbeth react when he sees the first murderer in the doorway?
11. Who enters and takes Macbeth's seat?
12. What is Macbeth's initial reaction to spotting Banquo's ghost?
13. How does Lady Macbeth explain Macbeth's confusing statements?
14. What does Macbeth plan to do the next day?

Act III, Scene V

15. What does Hecate tell the three witches?

Act III, Scene VI

16. What does Lennox tell us about Macduff?

Macbeth: Act Four Questions

Act IV, Scene I

17. What are the witches doing when this scene opens?
18. How does Macbeth greet the witches?
19. What is the first apparition and what does it prophesy?
20. What is the second apparition and what does it prophesy?
21. What is the third apparition and what does it prophesy?
22. How does Macbeth plan to protect himself from Macduff's threat?

Act IV, Scene II

23. How does Lady Macduff react when Ross tells her that Macduff has gone to England?
24. What happens at the end of the scene?

Act IV, Scene III

25. How does Macduff feel about Scotland at the beginning of the scene?
26. How does Macduff characterize Macbeth?

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27. What is Macduff's reaction to the murder of his wife and children?

Macbeth: Act Five Questions

Act V, Scene I

28. According to the waiting-gentlewoman, what has Lady Macbeth been doing?

29. When Lady Macbeth first enters the scene, what is she saying and doing?

Act V, Scene II

30. What is Macbeth doing in preparation for the attack?

Act V, Scene III

31. How does Macbeth reassure himself in the beginning of the scene?

32. What does Seyton tell Macbeth?

33. When Macbeth tells the doctor to cure her, how does the doctor respond?

Act V, Scene IV

34. What does Malcolm command the soldiers to do with the trees in Birnam Wood?

Act V, Scene V

35. What does Macbeth say about the possibility of the army attempting to besiege the castle?

36. What is Macbeth's response to Lady Macbeth's death?

Act V, Scene VI

37. What happens in this scene?

Act V, Scene VII

38. What happens between Young Siward and Macbeth?

Act V, Scene VIII

39. Why is Macduff able to kill Macbeth?

40. How does the play end?



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