

THE ODYSSEY--THE SIRENS

1. What dangers does Circe warn Odysseus of?
2. What instructions did Circe give them about the Sirens?
3. What instructions did Odysseus give his men regarding the Sirens?
4. How did Odysseus make sure none of the men heard the Sirens?
5. Describe the Siren's song. What was their purpose?
6. What was the result of this encounter?

THE ODYSSEY-- SCYLLA & CHARYBDIS

7. What is Scylla?
8. What is Charybdis?
9. Describe what happened after they left the island.
10. What was the reaction of the men?

11. What was Odysseus' reaction?

12. How did Odysseus prepare for Scylla? Did he prepare his men?

13. Describe their encounter with Scylla.

14. To what does Homer compare this action? What image does it remind him of?
(metaphor)

15. What was the result of this encounter?

THE ODYSSEY--THE CATTLE OF THE SUN GOD

16. What warning does Odysseus give to the men?

17. Why couldn't they leave the island?

18. What did Eurylochus propose?

19. What was the reaction of the men to Eurylochus' plan?

20. Where was Odysseus during all of this?
21. Describe Lord Helios' reaction.
22. How does Zeus reply to Helios?
23. What happens as Odysseus and his men set sail again?
24. What happens to Odysseus?
25. To whom does Odysseus attribute his ability to make it past Scylla?
26. How did this whole adventure turn out?

