

2003 SAN ANTONIO CLASSICAL SOCIETY TSJCL AREA B ACADEMIC OLYMPICS MYTHOLOGY TEST

DIRECTIONS: Please mark the correct answer on your scantron.

1. She had to spend time in the Underworld because she ate some pomegranate seeds
A. Artemis B. Demeter C. Hera D. Persephone
2. He went looking for his long-lost father Odysseus
A. Aeacus B. Demophon C. Nessus D. Telemachus
3. She was the mother of Apollo and Artemis
A. Amphitrite B. Dione C. Leto D. Polyhymnia
4. He brought the Cretan Bull to the Peloponnese
A. Aeneas B. Heracles C. Jason D. Perseus
5. This Dardanian prince was considered to be the ancestor of the Romans
A. Aeneas B. Eridanus C. Lacedaemon D. Tros
6. This monster was so horrible that the Olympians fled to Egypt in various animal forms
A. Argus B. Cerberus C. Ladon D. Typhon
7. They killed their husbands on their wedding night
A. Anakes B. Danaids C. Minyae D. Praetides
8. His fatal error was flying too close to the sun
A. Catreus B. Icarus C. Phaenon D. Thoas
9. His wife and her lover killed him when he returned from Troy
A. Agamemnon B. Idomeneus C. Lycurgus D. Proteus
10. She was the oldest daughter of Cronus and Rhea, according to Hesiod
A. Athena B. Demeter C. Hera D. Hestia
11. He revolves on a wheel of fire in the Underworld
A. Aphareus B. Ixion C. Phocus D. Tantalus
12. Unlike her sister, she followed her uncle's orders and didn't bury her brother
A. Antigone B. Epicasta C. Ismene D. Pasiphae
13. This blind seer supposedly lived for seven generations
A. Bias B. Idmon C. Melampus D. Teiresias
14. This princess was sacrificed at Aulis
A. Clytemnestra B. Electra C. Iphigenia D. Phyllis
15. Father of the Harpies
A. Agapenor B. Nereus C. Phorcys D. Thaumias

16. Hera punished her by making it impossible for her to say anything of her own volition
A. Echo B. Ino C. Merope D. Perigune
17. He was the North Wind
A. Boreas B. Eurus C. Notus D. Zephyrus
18. This concubine was taken away from Achilles
A. Briseis B. Chryseis C. Gryne D. Leucippe
19. This Athenian craftsman was the builder of the Labyrinth
A. Atreus B. Daedalus C. Mytilus D. Sisyphus
20. This enchantress kept Odysseus on her island for seven years
A. Calypso B. Circe C. Medea D. Penelope
21. His brother foolishly married Pandora
A. Epimetheus B. Lycaon C. Prometheus D. Schoeneus
22. She falsely accused her stepson Hippolytus of improper advances
A. Astydameia B. Iphianassa C. Manto D. Phaedra
23. As he was about to kill his mother unknowingly, Jupiter transformed him into a bear
A. Arcas B. Catreus C. Oedipus D. Promachus
24. This former paramour of Jupiter was transformed into a heifer
A. Alcmena B. Eurydice C. Io D. Semele
25. He is often accompanied by groups of frantic women called Maenads
A. Apollo B. Dionysus C. Hephaestus D. Zeus
26. She communicated with her beloved through a chink on the wall
A. Baucis B. Hero C. Megara D. Thisbe
27. He was killed by Zeus when he dared to raise the dead
A. Asclepius B. Hippolytus C. Pentheus D. Salmoneus
28. She fainted on the tower as her husband Hector's body was being dragged away
A. Andromache B. Creusa C. Hecabe D. Mnesimache
29. He lost one of his sandals while carrying the disguised Juno across a river
A. Amphiaraus B. Jason C. Neoptolemus D. Perseus
30. Achilles fell in love with the corpse of this queen of the Amazons
A. Aella B. Hippolyta C. Penthesileia D. Thermodosa
31. He avenged his father by killing his mother Clytemnestra
A. Alcmaeon B. Evander C. Hippolytus D. Orestes
32. Helen used this drug to sooth the sorrow of Telemachus
A. aconite B. lotus C. moly D. nepenthe
33. He changed his daughter into a laurel tree
A. Asopus B. Inachus C. Peneius D. Rhesus

34. Theseus killed this scoundrel by making him fit his bed
A. Cercyon B. Procrustes C. Sciron D. Sinis
35. She waited 20 years for the return of her husband
A. Alcestis B. Halcyone C. Orsobia D. Penelope
36. He was given donkey's ears for having poor taste in music
A. Cestrinus B. Midas C. Nisus D. Presbon
37. She invented the double-pipe but threw it away because of the way it distorted her face
A. Athena B. Demeter C. Hera D. Thetis
38. He was the mortal stepfather of Hercules
A. Amphitryon B. Electryon C. Iphicles D. Linus
39. She dreamt that she gave birth to a fire brand that burned down Troy
A. Arisbe B. Hecuba C. Laodamia D. Taygete
40. He was the eldest son of Heracles and Deianeira
A. Broteas B. Coroebus C. Hyllus D. Polymnestor
41. This three-headed creature guarded the entrance to the Underworld
A. Acheron B. Cerberus C. Megara D. Typhon
42. He was the commander-in-chief of the Trojans during the Trojan War
A. Alexander B. Deiphobus C. Hector D. Pandarus
43. She used to be pretty before Circe transformed her into a monster
A. Charybdis B. Lampetie C. Phaethusa D. Scylla
44. Dogs and vultures were sacred to this deity
A. Apollo B. Jupiter C. Mars D. Vulcan
45. She was the goddess of Fortune, both good and bad
A. Ate B. Naenia C. Praxidice D. Tyche
46. This king of Thessaly died in a storm; he and his wife became kingfishers
A. Ceyx B. Molorchus C. Oncius D. Phoroneus
47. This queen of Latium didn't want Aeneas to be her son-in-law
A. Amata B. Elissa C. Lavinia D. Mena
48. He and his twin brother Hypnos lived in the depth of Tartarus
A. Icelos B. Morpheus C. Phantasos D. Thanatos
49. She could turn all those who looked upon her into stone
A. Clotho B. Erato C. Medusa D. Tisiphone
50. He answered the riddle of the mulberry changing color
A. Amphiaraus B. Calchas C. Mopsus D. Polyidus
51. Daughter of Aloeus; she was kidnaped by pirates
A. Canens B. Euryte C. Merope D. Pancratis

52. This physician son of Asclepius lost his life at Troy; Nestor took him to a place for burial
A. Anius B. Glaucus C. Machaon D. Teucer
53. Wife of Phineus; she falsely accused her stepsons (they were blinded)
A. Amphithea B. Idaea C. Perimele D. Timandra
54. This beggar dared to challenge Odysseus to a boxing match
A. Amphimedon B. Irus C. Metion D. Panthous
55. The river god Alpheus pursued her relentlessly; she was finally changed into a spring
A. Arethusa B. Creusa C. Nomia D. Praxithea
56. She gave the Charm of Prometheus to Jason so he would not get hurt
A. Amphitrite B. Dione C. Medea D. Semele
57. He was transformed into a stag for seeing Diana naked
A. Actaeon B. Glaucus C. Polydorus D. Thersander
58. He stole his brother's cattle while he was still a baby
A. Apollo B. Dionysus C. Hermes D. Zeus
59. She was the protectress of heroes (which included Diomedes, Perseus, etc.)
A. Athena B. Demeter C. Hera D. Tethys
60. This ugly flower could be found in a field in the Underworld
A. asphodel B. balis C. lotus D. moly
61. This palace slave became the wife of Daedalus and bore him Icarus
A. Beroe B. Euryanassa C. Naucraste D. Perimede
62. This was the principal city of the Amazons
A. Asine B. Doliche C. Midea D. Themiscyra
63. The first king of Salamis; he rid the island of a dangerous snake.
A. Cychreus B. Erythrius C. Neleus D. Telamon
64. He defeated Atalanta in a foot-race by using three golden apples
A. Deiphobus B. Euphemus C. Hippomenes D. Maenalus
65. Jupiter seduced her in the form of a swan
A. Antiope B. Europa C. Leda D. Themis
66. *Odyssey*, Book III: Telemachus and Peisistratus spent the night at this man's house while on their way to Sparta.
A. Amphimedon B. Diocles C. Learchus D. Perieres
67. *Metamorphoses*, Book XI: This half-brother of Hector caused the death of his beloved Hesperia; he was transformed into a diving bird as a result
A. Aesacus B. Deucalion C. Numicius D. Sithon
68. *Aeneid*, Book VI: Which of the following women did Aeneas NOT see in the Underworld
A. Dido B. Eriphyle C. Phaedra D. Tecmessa

69. *Iliad*, Book XXIII: He won the footrace at Patroclus' funeral games
 A. Ajax B. Diomedes C. Odysseus D. Polypoetes
70. *Argonautica*, Book I: Jason and the Argonauts stopped here and stayed for a year with lots of women
 A. Cyprus B. Delos C. Lemnos D. Sardinia

TIE-BREAKERS: The answers to the following questions will be scored only to break ties

96. He suffers from eternal hunger and thirst in the Underworld
 A. Ancaeus B. Hippocoon C. Opheltes D. Tantalus
97. She helped Theseus escape the Labyrinth
 A. Ariadne B. Halcyone C. Medea D. Phyllis
98. Which is NOT one of the Cyclopes who forged Zeus' thunderbolts
 A. Arges B. Brontes C. Gyes D. Steropes
99. This Trojan herald accompanied Priam to Achilles' tent
 A. Eurylochus B. Idaeus C. Menoetes D. Talthybius
100. She was the daughter of Cupid and Psyche
 A. Astyoche B. Demodice C. Voluptas D. Xenodice