

- 1 Are these sentences true (T) or false (F)?
- a ___ Jenny was a student at Harvard.
 - b ___ Oliver was a student at Harvard.
 - c ___ The first time they met they were at an ice-hockey match.
 - d ___ Jenny's father was a baker.
 - e ___ Jenny didn't want to go to Oliver's father's birthday party.
 - f ___ Oliver got a very good job when he finished law school.
 - g ___ Oliver wanted to call his son Bozo.
 - h ___ Oliver went to work in Chicago.
 - i ___ Oliver told his father immediately when he discovered that Jenny was ill.
 - j ___ Oliver's father did not lend him five thousand dollars.

20 marks

- 2 Match a number from A with a letter from B to make complete sentences.

- A**
- 1 ___ When Oliver started to go to law school . . .
 - 2 ___ When Oliver and Jenny went to live in New York . . .
 - 3 ___ When they went to visit Oliver's parents . . .
 - 4 ___ When Jenny telephoned Oliver's father . . .
 - 5 ___ When they visited Phil . . .

- B**
- a . . . Jenny was surprised that they were so rich.
 - b . . . Oliver got very angry.
 - c . . . they found a flat near the university, but it was quite expensive.
 - d . . . he said Oliver was OK.
 - e . . . they found a flat near Oliver's work.

20 marks

- 3 What did they eat a lot of when Oliver was at law school?

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10 marks

- 4 Who said this in the story? *Phil, Jenny, Ray Stratton (Oliver's friend), Oliver's father, Oliver.*
- a 'I've never seen Europe. I'm really excited about it.'
 - b 'I'll need a scholarship for next year.'
 - c 'Have you got a girl into trouble?'
 - d 'A father's love is a very special thing.'
 - e 'That girl's got you and I don't like it.'

20 marks

- 5 Complete the following sentences with information from the story.

- a When Oliver went to law school Jenny got a job . . .
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- b Because her husband was Oliver Barrett, the school . . .
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- c They had to walk up twenty-four steps . . .
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- d They didn't eat in restaurants . . .
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- e When Oliver passed his final examinations at law school, everyone . . .
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30 marks

Total marks

Setting

Choose the best answer.

- Oliver is a student at _____ University.
a Yale b Cornell c Harvard
d Dartmouth
- Jenny works in the Radcliffe _____.
a café b library c theatre d shop
- Oliver comes from a _____ American family.
a rich and famous b warm and friendly
c poor and happy d bad and dangerous
- Jenny comes from a _____ family.
a rich French b famous English
c large Spanish d poor Italian
- Oliver's great-grandfather paid for a _____ at the university.
a modern library b large building
c beautiful park d new hospital
- Jenny has a scholarship to study music in _____.
a New Orleans b London
c Vienna d Paris
- Oliver and Jenny go to see his parents at _____.
a their large house b an expensive restaurant
c a fashionable hotel d his father's office
- Jenny works as a _____ to support Oliver.
a musician b cleaner c teacher
d shop assistant
- Oliver finds a good job in _____.
a New York b Boston c Chicago
d Rhode Island
- Oliver holds Jenny for the last time _____.
a at home b in hospital
c in the library d at work

20 marks

Characters

Choose the best answer.

- _____ went to a rich prep school.
a Phil b Jenny c Oliver
d Oliver's mother
- _____ has dark hair, glasses and beautiful legs.
a Nadia Boulanger b Jenny
c Oliver's mother d Ray Stratton
- Oliver plays _____ for his university.
a basketball b baseball c hockey
d ice hockey
- Oliver's father was very good at _____ when he was younger.
a art b sport c music d singing

- Oliver shares a room at his dormitory with _____.
a Ray Stratton b Jenny c Phil
d his brother
- Phil is a very _____ father.
a cold and unfriendly
b quiet and serious c warm and kind
d strange and unusual
- When Oliver and Jenny get married, _____ people come to the wedding.
a two b twenty c fifty
d two hundred
- Oliver doesn't talk to _____ for a long time.
a Phil b his father c Ray Stratton
d Mr Jonas
- When Oliver graduates he starts to work for _____.
a his father b his mother c Phil
d Mr Jonas
- At the end, Oliver goes to his father's office and asks for _____.
a love b food c money d help

20 marks

Dialogue

Who said or wrote this?

- 'I'm not going to go for coffee with you.'
a Oliver b Jenny c Phil
d Ray Stratton
- 'I think I'm in love with you.'
a Oliver b Ray Stratton c Phil
d Mr Jonas
- 'Is there anything I can do for you?'
a Jenny b Phil c Oliver's mother
d Oliver's father
- 'Love? At your age? My God, I worry about you, I really do.'
a Oliver b Jenny c Ray Stratton
d Phil
- 'It's your wedding, children. You choose. It's OK by me.'
a Oliver's father b Oliver's mother
c Mr Jonas d Phil
- 'Oliver, can't you just speak to him?'
a Ray Stratton b Phil c Jenny
d Oliver's mother
- 'Jenny is very ill. She has a blood disease. It is destroying her blood and we can't stop it.'
a Doctor Sheppard b Mr Jonas
c Phil d Oliver's mother

- 28 'Oliver, I have an important job for you. How soon can you go to Chicago?'
 a Oliver's father b Mr Jonas
 c Jenny d Ray Stratton
- 29 'Love means you never have to say you're sorry.'
 a Oliver's father b Phil
 c Ray Stratton d Jenny
- 30 'Oliver, why didn't you tell me?'
 a Oliver's father b Oliver's mother
 c Phil d Mr Jonas

20 marks

Vocabulary

Choose the best answer.

- 31 when you feel pleased about something you have done
 a lost b afraid c sad d proud
- 32 a member of a family
 a friend b relation c worker
 d player
- 33 so good that it cannot be better; excellent in every way
 a nice b fine c perfect d terrible
- 34 to think that something will happen in the future
 a expect b know c seem d learn
- 35 a group of people who play a sport together; for example, football or basketball
 a couple b party c team d band
- 36 to finish university successfully and pass your exams
 a leave b fail c lose d graduate
- 37 a person who has studied law
 a doctor b lawyer c manager
 d soldier
- 38 to get a goal in a game or sport
 a score b hit c fight d run
- 39 money given to a clever person to pay for their studies at university
 a present b scholarship c gift
 d help
- 40 to fight against what somebody has told you to do
 a smile b laugh c agree d rebel

20 marks

Plot

Choose the best answer.

- 41 When Oliver first talks to Jenny, she is very _____.
 a cool and unfriendly
 b kind and helpful c cheerful and funny
 d tired and ill
- 42 When Jenny comes to see Oliver's match, she _____.
 a cries b shouts loudly
 c reads a book d falls over
- 43 Oliver's father comes to see Oliver _____.
 a play in a match b play the piano
 c receive a prize d graduate from university
- 44 Oliver has an argument with his father about _____.
 a going to Paris b leaving university
 c playing ice hockey d marrying Jenny
- 45 Oliver and Jenny have no money when Oliver is at _____.
 a Harvard b Radcliffe
 c Law School d Jonas and Marsh
- 46 Oliver is very happy because he comes _____ in the final law examinations.
 a first b third c twentieth d last
- 47 Oliver's father is going to be head of the American _____.
 a Peace Corps b army
 c law department d government
- 48 The doctor tells Oliver that Jenny is going to _____.
 a have a baby b get better
 c live for a long time d die soon
- 49 At the end, Jenny _____.
 a has a baby boy b visits Paris
 c dies in hospital d dies at home
- 50 Oliver _____ after he tells his father about Jenny.
 a sleeps b cries c sits down
 d runs away

20 marks

Total marks