World War One Poetry Quiz!

1. Who wrote ‘In Flanders Fields’?

2. Which of the following poets survived the war?
   A. Rupert Brooke
   B. Isaac Rosenberg
   C. Ivor Gurney

3. In Sassoon’s poem, ‘The General’, to where were Harry and Jack trudging?

4. Complete this well known extract from Rupert Brooke’s poem, ‘The Soldier’:
   "if I should die, think only this of me: ...."

5. What is the meaning of the phrase, "Dulce et decorum est pro patria mori"?

6. Fill the gap of the following extract in with one of the following words:
   A. gallant
   B. terrible
   C. small
   “Quietly the Brother Officer went out.
   He’d told the poor old dear some ....................... lies
   That she would nourish all her days, no doubt.”

7. What is the title of the poem from which the extract in the previous question was taken?

8. Who wrote the poem, ‘This is No Case of Petty Right or Wrong’?

9. At which hospital did Wilfred Owen and Siegfried Sassoon meet?

10. What is the title of the following poem?
   “If I were fierce, and bald, and short of breath,
   I’d live with scarlet Majors at the Base,
   And speed glum heroes up the line to death.”

11. Fill in the gap with the correct word:
   You love us when we’re heroes, home on leave,
   Or wounded in a ......................... place.

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13. In what year did Wilfred Owen die?

14. In Wilfred Owen's poem, ‘Futility’, how are the sunbeams described?

15. Fill in the gap with one of the following words:

   When you see millions of the ................................ dead.

   A. faceless
   B. mouthless
   C. wordless

16. Complete the title:  Dead Man's .........................

17. What did Rupert Brooke die of?

18. What was the title of Sassoon's novel, which he wrote after the war?

19. Fill in the gap with one of the following words:

   A. seed
   B. men
   C. youth

   “But the old man would not so, but slew his son,
   And half the ................................... of Europe, one by one.”

20. Who wrote, "For the Fallen"?

Now devise 3-5 questions about World War One Poetry of your own below: