1. Why does Equality change his name?
   a. To gain individuality
   b. The Golden One told him to do so
   c. To hide from the World Councils
   d. He thinks numbers indicate curses

2. What does Equality change his name to?
   a. Agamemnon
   b. Polybus
   c. Prometheus
   d. Poseidon

3. What does the Golden One refer to Equality as “The Unconquered?”
   a. He is a war hero
   b. He rejects his love
   c. He is a daring vigilante
   d. He is unlike others and free to make his own decisions

4. With which statement would Ayn Rand most likely agree?
   a. Citizens must remain loyal to their groups
   b. Relationships are unimportant
   c. One must be true to himself
   d. One must be part of a group

5. The futuristic setting of *Anthem* is a
   a. Utopia
   b. Dystopia
   c. Fruitopia
   d. Cornucopia

6. The World Council
   a. helps citizens interact socially
   b. controls individuals’ lives
   c. helps citizens make good decisions
   d. keeps the world safe

7. Which of the following is not one of Equality’s transgressions?
   a. Violence toward the Scholars
   b. Being alone in a tunnel
   c. Desiring to be a scholar
   d. Preferring one’s company to that of others

8. What is an ego?
   a. Sense of self (I)
   b. Term for bragging
   c. Cruelty to others
   d. Thirst for knowledge

9. Equality is most similar to
   a. a teacher
   b. a reporter
   c. a politician
   d. a student

10. The evil ones were
    a. Plagued by violence
    b. Technologically advanced
    c. Free to make their own decisions
    d. All of the Above

11. The conflict between Equality and the government is an example of
    a. Man v. Self
    b. Man v. Nature
    c. Man v. Man
    d. Man v. Society

12. Which of the following is NOT a theme represented in *Anthem*
    a. Men need to be part of a group
    b. The self is worthy of praise, reverence, and adulation
    c. Men seek independence, individuality, and freedom
    d. All men deserve choices

13. Which of the following is NOT a theme represented in *Anthem*
    a. People can be controlled by keeping them ignorant
    b. Knowing oneself is necessary for personal growth
    c. Sacrificing oneself for the group is necessary
    d. There is freedom in knowledge

14. The curse Equality is born with is
    a. destiny to be a street sweeper
    b. being part of this society
    c. love for the Golden One
    d. his illegal quest for knowledge, curiosity

15. The scholars reject Equality’s discovery because
    a. he creates it alone
    b. he is not a scholar
    c. it would upset the Department of Candles
    d. all of the above
16. Why is it significant that Equality finds joy in hunting birds?
   a. Killing living things makes him feel like God
   b. He is dark, morbid, and evil
   c. His father was a skilled marksman
   d. He feels in control of his own life, well-being, and livelihood

17. Which of the following is true of society in Anthem?
   a. Government encourages people to explore new ideas
   b. Government provides citizens with material wealth
   c. Government prevents growth and positive change
   d. Government cannot be corrupted

18. The previous society was known as
   a. The Great Rebirth
   b. The Unmentionable Times
   c. The Evil Period
   d. The Deep, Dark Past

19. All of the following are characteristics of the society’s citizens except
   a. a government-assigned name
   b. a secure, nurturing family environment
   c. a defeated, lifeless, and downtrodden spirit
   d. a government-assigned career

20. The previous society was destroyed by
   a. asteroids
   b. widespread poisoning
   c. the violence of man
   d. supernatural events

21. Equality willing commits the following sins except
   a. sneaking into the tunnel at night
   b. having feelings for Liberty
   c. adamantly refusing to work as a street sweeper
   d. writing the story of his discovery

22. In the Uncharted Forest, Equality
   a. realizes he’s better off without society
   b. finds another society living an advanced life there
   c. finds the scholars have set traps for him
   d. meets other escapees living as vagabonds

23. New experiences for Equality in the Uncharted forest include all of the following EXCEPT
   a. building his own house
   b. being with his loved one
   c. seeing his own reflection
   d. killing and cooking his own food

24. What does the Golden One find most appealing about Equality?
   a. his handsome appearance
   b. his outdoorsman skills
   c. his dry sense of humor
   d. his unbroken, free spirit

25. The missing element that Equality and the Golden One finally discover is
   a. love for society
   b. the joy of childbirth
   c. mutual respect
   d. the concept of self

Essay (15 points)

In Anthem, Liberty chooses “Unconquered” as a fitting name for Equality. Similarly, William Henley’s most famous poem is entitled “Invictus,” which is Latin for “unconquerable.” Read the poem several times to ensure that you understand it. Then, write an essay on the similarities between the main characters in the poem and Anthem. Use specific examples from the texts when necessary. COMPARE EVERY STANZA.
“Invictus”  
OUT of the night that covers me,  
Black as the Pit from pole to pole,  
I thank whatever gods may be  
For my unconquerable soul.  

In the fell clutch of circumstance  
I have not winced nor cried aloud.  
Under the bludgeoning of chance  
My head is bloody, but unbowed.  

Beyond this place of wrath and tears  
Looms but the Horror of the shade,  
And yet the menace of the years  
Finds and shall find me unafraid.  

It matters not how strait the gate,  
How charged with punishments the scroll  
I am the master of my fate:  
I am the captain of my soul.