**The Book Thief-Video Reflection Questions**

**Directions:** As you watch the film please record answers to the questions below.

1. Who do we learn the narrator is at the beginning of the film?
2. What does he share regarding his thoughts about humanity?
3. Who in Liesel’s family dies while they are riding on the train?
4. What falls from the gravediggers pocket during the burial?
5. Why is Liesel’s new mother Rosa so upset upon her arrival?
6. Who arrives during breakfast to walk Liesel to school?
7. Whose picture is hung in the front of Liesel’s classroom?
8. Describe what happens when Franz bullies Liesel about her reading ability?
9. Why does Liesel say that Rudy should stop being her friend? How does Rudy respond?
10. What is the title of the book that Liesel is holding when Hans comes to say good night?
11. Describe the message of the song that Liesel and her class sing?
12. What does Hans show Liesel he set up for her in their basement?
13. Why does Rudy get in trouble for pretending to be Jesse Owens?
14. What does Liesel mean when she writes in her letter that her “…new mama is like a thunderstorm”?
15. What are the Nazis burning while celebrating Hitler’s birthday?
16. What does Franz say is the rumor about Liesel’s biological mother?
17. Which book does Liesel take from the pile of burning books?
18. What does Max ask Hans when he arrives at their house?
19. Who does Hans say that his accordion used to belong to?
20. Why does he say is the promise he made to the former owner of the accordion?
21. What does Hans say a person is only as good as?
22. Why does Max say he is hiding from Hitler?
23. What task does Rosa give Liesel?
24. When Liesel arrives at the Bürgermeister’s home what room does Elsa take her to?
25. What is Franz announcing as Liesel returns from the Bürgermeister’s home?
26. How does Liesel describe the weather to Max?
27. What do we learn happens to Elsa’s son?
28. What gift does Max give Liesel for Christmas?
29. What happens when the Bürgermeister discovers that Elsa is allowing Liesel to read their son’s books?
30. Where is Liesel “borrowing” books from in order to read to Max?
31. What nicknames do Rudy and Liesel give each other?
32. What does Liesel bring to Max instead of a weather report?
33. What allows Max the chance to go outside for the first time in months?
34. What does Hans do that forces Max to leave for his safety?
35. What do we find out Rudy was select for? How does he react?
36. Which group does Liesel see being led away after leaving the air raid shelter?
37. What leads to Hans returning early from the war?
38. What happens to Heaven Street as a result of Allied forces misreading their map?
39. What happens to Liesel and Rudy’s families?
40. Whose soul does the narrator (Death) say simply “rolled into his arms?
41. After waking up who does Liesel run to and hug?
42. Who is Liesel reunited with in 1945 while working for Rudy’s father at his tailor shop?
43. What profession can we infer Liesel perused based on the layout of her apartment?
44. What in the end does Death say he is haunted by?