

Doctor Faustus by Christopher Marlowe

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- _____ 1. When he makes his pact with the Devil, Faustus believes that his new knowledge will bring him
A. peace of mind B. power C. students D. virtue
- _____ 2. One thing that Faustus does not consider doing with his knowledge is
A. helping the needy C. learning philosophy
B. gaining riches D. learning the secrets of royalty
- _____ 3. To honor the Devil, Faustus offers to
A. reject Helen's love C. slay the Good Angel
B. denounce the Good Angel D. build him an altar and a church
- _____ 4. The Bad Angel tells Faust that heavenly things are
A. honorable B. illusions C. worthwhile D. beyond reach
- _____ 5. Faustus is tempted mostly by
A. Valdes and Cornelius C. the Old Man
B. himself D. Mephistopheles
- _____ 6. The fear of eternal damnation is most threatening
A. during the opening monologue
B. when the Good Angel and the Bad Angel debate
C. when Faust kisses Helen
D. during Faustus's last hour
- _____ 7. The possibility of final repentance represents Faustus's
A. conflict B. hope C. misunderstanding D. secret
- _____ 8. Faustus's line, "The God thou serv'st is thine own appetite" means that
A. Faustus is always hungry
B. God always provides
C. Faustus serves Lucifer, the god of food
D. Faustus is controlled by his own desires
- _____ 9. Lucifer calls for the parade of the Seven Deadly Sins in order to
I. reward Faustus for his contract
II. divert Faustus's thoughts
III. show Faustus his future in Hell
A. I and II only C. II and III only
B. I and III only D. none of the above
- _____ 10. The play concludes as Faustus
A. is forgiven
B. is sentenced to one thousand years in Hell
C. is granted eternal knowledge
D. keeps his pact with Mephistopheles

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