

INGLÊS

The text below was adapted from “Billie Holiday”, de Charles E. Smith. Read the text and answer the questions about it.

Billie Holiday (Eleanora Fagan Gough) was born in Baltimore, April 7, 1915, of teen-age parents who married three years later. When she says she was a woman at six she may have been thinking of other things than physical development. Her father, Clarence Holiday, was a musician who played the guitar with the McKinney’s Cotton Pickers group (he’d formerly played trumpet) and who was almost always on the road. He and Billie’s mother had separated when Billie was little more than a baby, so that she was, in effect, a fatherless child. And even her mother left her with relatives, to go up North in search of work. It, wasn’t merely that Billie had traumatic experiences – **life slaps all of us around** – but it slapped her viciously, when she was very young and didn’t know what it was all about.

QUESTION 57

What was the age group of Billie’s parents?

- a) They were youngsters when they got married .
- b) They got married at an old age.
- c) They got engaged in the adulthood.
- d) They met each other in the childhood.

Resposta: A

Os pais de Billie eram jovens quando se casaram.(teen-age parents)

QUESTION 58**Billie Holliday's father used to...**

- a) play the flute when he started as a musician.
- b) be a musician playing the guitar with a band.
- c) play the trumpet as his first musical instrument.
- d) Be a fatherless child.

Resposta: C**O pai de Billie tocou trompete como seu primeiro instrumento.****QUESTION 59****Billie Holliday's mother went to the north of the country in order to...**

- a) follow her husband's band on the road.
- b) search for a music band opportunity and she left her child with her parents.
- c) find a job so that she had to leave her baby with relatives.
- d) separate from her husband.

Resposta: C**A mãe de Billie Holliday foi para o norte do país afim de procurar emprego. Ela teve que deixar seu filho com parentes.**

QUESTION 60

The word so that (line 6) in “ He and Billie’s mother had separated when Billie was little more than a baby, so that she was, in effect, a fatherless child.” indicates

- a) addition.
- b) contrast.
- c) purpose.
- d) reason.

Resposta: C

A conjunção “so that” expressa propósito e finalidade na frase.

QUESTION 61

According to the text “ *...life slaps all of us around...*” means that

- a) We can manage life in spite of the hardness.
- b) We are spoiled by life and defeated by it.
- c) We must deal with life and conquer it.
- d) We are hit by life and must face it.

Resposta: D

Na frase “ *...life slaps all of us around...*” significa que somos atingidos pela vida e temos que lidar com esta realidade.

QUESTION 62

The pronoun **who** (line 5) in "... and **who** was almost always on the road." refers to

- a) McKinney's Cotton Pickers group.
- b) Clarence Holiday.
- c) a musician.
- d) Billie Holiday.

Resposta: B

O pronome relativo "Who" se refere a Clarence Holiday, o pai de Billie Holliday.

QUESTION 63

Life was specially tough to Billie Holiday as

- a) she was very young and didn't know the meaning of it.
- b) she was a fatherless child and was separated from her mother.
- c) she had traumatic experiences and didn't know it.
- d) she was a woman at six she may have been thinking of other things than physical development.

Resposta: A

A vida era especialmente difícil para Billie Holliday pois ela era muito jovem e não entendia tudo o que acontecia a sua volta.

QUESTION 64

Fill in the blanks with the appropriate pronouns.

Dear Alice,

How are you? Suzy and I are having a wonderful holiday. We are really enjoying _____. We brought some body lotions with _____ and we've used _____ all up already. Suzy is a bit annoyed because her body lotion isn't as good as _____.

- a) ourselves - we - them - mine
- b) ourselves - us - them - mine
- c) us - us - they - my
- d) us - we - themselves - mine

Resposta: B

Estamos curtindo a nos mesmos.

Trouxemos algumas loções de corpo conosco e usamos todas elas já.

Suzy esta um pouco chateada porque a loção dela não é tão boa quanto a minha.