

Quiz on *Hope* by Brock Eastman

1. Why were the Washed Stone Islands important?
 - a. The Übel were holding Mr. and Mrs. Wikk captive on one of the islands
 - b. The Wikks needed to retrieve crosses hidden on the islands in order to unlock the *Ark*
 - c. The islands held hidden Veritas Nachfolger outposts with important information
 - d. They held the keyholes into which the large crosses must be inserted in order to unlock the *Ark*
2. What was the real Eochair contained inside the cube from the grotto on YI Revaw, and why was it important?
 - a. A compass that attached to the *Ark's* navigation console and revealed the coordinates to Ursprung
 - b. A silver crown of thorns that fit into a special slot and unlocked the captain's console on the bridge of the *Ark*
 - c. A cross that unlocked the door leading to the *Ark's* bridge
 - d. Rubies that, when inserted into small holes in the captain's chair on the *Ark's* bridge, activated the captain's console
3. Which ship docked with the *Ark* while in hyper-flight?
 - a. The *Vulture*
 - b. The *Black Ranger*
 - c. *Sylvia's Hope*
 - d. The *Skull*
4. Did you expect Austin to be the one to rescue Mr. and Mrs. Wikk?
5. If you were a character in this series, would you want to leave behind your life in the Federation to explore Ursprung?
6. Pick one character and explain how that person changed and/or stayed the same over the series.
7. Where did Mr. and Mrs. Wikk, the Blauwe Mensen king and queen, and Oliver reunite with Austin, Mason, Obbin, Rylin, and Branz after their separate landings on Ursprung/Earth?
 - a. Next to a tall, freestanding gray arch
 - b. On a golden bridge
 - c. In a skyscraper
 - d. Next to a green statue of a lady with a crown and a torch
8. Where did Tiffany suggest their next destination on Ursprung/Earth might be?
 - a. New Orleans
 - b. New York
 - c. St. Louis
 - d. San Francisco
9. Who, if anyone, do you think the Wikks and their allies will encounter on Earth/Ursprung?
10. If you had been with Mason, Tiffany, and Drex on Elephant Rock and their journey beneath the Washed Stone Islands and through the jungle, would you have trusted Drex?

11. Why did the Wikks finally offer Zebra Xavier a peaceful partnership after the Blauwe Mensen captured him on the *Ark*?
12. Why do you think Mr. O'Farrell, Zebra Xavier, and Drex accepted the Truth but Voltan, Vedrik, and DarkStone refused?
13. Oliver reminded Ashley before they crossed an invisible bridge, "Our faith is in the bridge, not our balance," and Brother Sam spoke about having "blind faith." Reflect on what these statements tell you about faith.
14. Do you agree with Sister Rose that our enemies deserve forgiveness and mercy, no matter their crimes? Does forgiving a person require trusting him or her? Explain your answers.
15. What did you learn about having relationships with Creator/Rescuer/Helper, family, and friends in this series?

Answers to Quiz on *Hope* by Brock Eastman

1. D
2. B
3. A
4. Answers will vary.
5. Answers will vary.
6. Answers will vary.
7. D
8. C
9. Answers will vary but should include the unknown black ships that flew over the *Phoenix* after it crash-landed on Earth.
10. Answers will vary.
11. They knew the Übel could shoot the *Ark* out of the sky or possibly follow them to Ursprung, and they needed the Übel ships to give the *Ark* a hyper-flight assist to shorten the journey to Ursprung because the *Ark* probably wouldn't hold up to a long flight on its own. Another possible reason is that they knew Zebra Xavier was close to accepting the Truth.
12. Answers will vary.
13. Answers will vary.
14. Answers will vary.
15. Answers will vary.