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1. Why is everyone dressed up?
  - a) They are having Christmas Eve dinner.
  - b) They are going to church.
  - c) They are going to a Christmas concert.
  
2. What did Grim get for Christmas when he was a boy? Why?
  - a) He got a piece of coal because his parents were poor.
  - b) He got a piece of paper with the word "coal" on it
  - c) because the family was too poor for the real thing.
  - d) He got a horse because he loved to ride horses.
  
3. According to the story, is there a difference between lies and tales? If so, what is it?
  - a) No. Lies and tales are the same thing.
  - b) Yes. Lies are mean and tales are entertaining.
  - c) No. Lies and tales are both horrible things to tell.
  - d) Yes. Lies are stories and tales are mean.
  
4. What is Gram's Christmas rule?
  - a) Each person can open one present on Christmas Eve.
  - b) Everyone opens all presents on Christmas Eve.
  - c) Nobody opens presents until Christmas day.
  
5. What does Max give Kevin for Christmas?
  - a) a new copy of King Arthur
  - b) a new dictionary
  - c) a tool kit
  - d) a gizmo with a lot of tools in it

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6. What does Kevin's package for Max look like?
- a) a big fluffy pillow
  - b) a square box
  - c) a pyramid
  - d) a small rectangle
7. What is Max's gift from Freak?
- a) *The Legends of King Arthur* book
  - b) a Swiss army knife
  - c) a dictionary
  - d) an empty book
8. What is weird about Max's room on Christmas Eve?
- a) He can feel warm air.
  - b) He can feel cold air.
  - c) It is very dark.
  - d) It is very bright.
9. Who is in Max's room?
- \_\_\_\_\_
10. What does Max feel about his visitor?
- a) happy to see him
  - b) paralyzed with fear
  - c) paralyzed with excitement
  - d) a little worried
11. Why doesn't Max want to make a noise?
- a) he is worried about Grim's gun
  - b) he doesn't want to wake anyone up
  - c) he is playing the quiet game
12. What does Kenny tell Max?
- a) that he wants to take Max on vacation
  - b) that he didn't kill anyone
  - c) that he wants Max to come and visit him
13. **Fill in the Blank:** Kenny says that Max is a \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) chip off the old block
  - b) loving child
  - c) waste of Kane blood
  - d) great person

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14. What does Kenny compare the neighborhood to?
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| a) hamsters in cages | c) dogs in a kennel |
| b) ants under a log  | d) cats in an alley |
15. Who does Kenny compare himself and Max to?
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| a) Paul & Silas   | c) Joseph & Mary |
| b) Batman & Robin | d) Lewis & Clark |
16. Where does Kenny take Max?
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| a) to his apartment          | c) to the Lee's apartment |
| b) to an abandoned warehouse | d) to a deserted house    |
17. Why is Kenny mad at Loretta?
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| a) she has a big mouth   | c) she is ditzy         |
| b) she has been drinking | d) he doesn't like her. |
18. What does Loretta call Kenny?
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| a) Preacher Kane | c) jerk    |
| b) Killer Kane   | d) Sweetie |

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