

Directions: Answer the questions based on the film. The questions are listed in the order they appear in the movie. You do not have to use complete sentences.

1. How many soldiers in the Union army were 15 years old or younger?
2. What “gaudy thing with red bars” did William Tecumseh Sherman first see at the Battle of Shiloh?
3. What Southern misconception did the Confederate Army find was untrue at Shiloh?
4. What happened to many of the dead soldiers from the battle of Shiloh?
5. How did Nathan Bedford Forest shield himself from union fire when he got surrounded?
6. How many men were killed at Shiloh? Total Casualties?
7. How did Shiloh change Grant’s assessment of the war?
8. What is the Hebrew meaning for Shiloh? Why is this ironic?

9. How many patents were issued for military weapons in 1862? What was the Civil War's greatest innovation?

10. What did Sherman admire about Grant?

Short Response:

You have now watched a film that documents the second year of the Civil War in meticulous detail, the year that everyone realized that the Civil War would be a “very bloody affair”. One of the commentators on this film mentioned that the Battle of Shiloh produced the same casualties as the epic Battle of Waterloo but then pointed out that, “we would see ten more Waterloos before the war ended.” Write a short essay of 1-2 paragraphs explaining why the Civil War was so bloody.