

# Scobol Solo 2018

## Championship IV (Phase IV: Questions 51-60)



51. A narrator of one of this author's short stories likes the flip-flops she bought at K-mart with her friend for 79 cents. That character, who is also friends with Janey Ortiz, narrates this author's "My Lucy Friend Who Smells Like Corn". In a novel by this author, Papa's hair is like a broom and Mama's hair smells like bread. The protagonist of that novel lives with her little brothers Carlos and Kiki and her little sister Nenny. This author gave that protagonist a name that is Spanish for "hope": Esperanza. Name this author of the collection *Woman Hollering Creek and Other Stories* and the novel *The House on Mango Street*.

Answer: Sandra Cisneros

52. Composer and genre required. One of these pieces in two movements has a section that Mitsuko Uchida compared to boogie-woogie. Edward Elgar claimed that the opening theme to "Nimrod" came from when August Jaeger [YAY-gur] whistled the theme to one of these pieces. One of these pieces has a last movement named "Das Wiedersehen" [dahss VEE-der-sehn] and a first movement that opens with a three-chord motif with the syllables "Le-be-wohl" [leh-beh-vohl] written above them. Another of these pieces opens with a movement in 12/8 time marked "Allegro assai", is in F minor, and is characteristic of its composer's middle period. One of these pieces is played with the damper pedal pressed and is nicknamed for evoking a view over Lake Lucerne. Give the composer and type of these pieces, some of which are nicknamed "Les Adieux" [lez ahd-yoo], "Appassionata," and "Moonlight".

Answer: Ludwig van Beethoven's piano sonatas [accept any reasonable answer containing all the underlined information; prompt on partial answers]

53. Both the presence of *N*-formyl-methionine ["N formal-meth-EYE-oh-nine"] in multiple kinds of translation, and the fact that tetra-cycline [TET-ruh-SYK-lin] is toxic to animals, are evidence for this process. The chromato-phores [kroh-MAT-oh-forz] of *Paulinella* protists suggest a third, independent case of this process having occurred. This process explains the resemblance between *Rickettsia* and some organelles. Lynn Margulis applied this idea to plastids and blue-green algae, noting that both possess circular DNA, small ribosomes, and a double membrane. Name this theory that explains the origin of eukaryotes ["you-CARRY-oats"] by holding that their mitochondria and chloroplasts are descendants of bacteria that started living inside larger cells.

Answer: (serial) endosymbiosis or endosymbiotic theory [or endosymbiont theory or sybiogenesis]

54. This leader may have begun a military revolt after the will of Prasutagus [prass-oo-TAY-guss] was ignored. Cassius Dio [“CASH-us” DEE-oh] recorded that this leader practiced divination by predicting the direction a rabbit would run. This leader justified starting a revolt by saying “I am avenging lost freedom, my scourged body, the outraged chastity of my daughters.” This leader’s forces massacred a large portion of the Ninth Legion at a battle near what is now Colchester. Gaius Suetonius Paulinus [“GUY”-uss soo-ih-TOH-nee-uss paw-“LINE”-uss] eventually defeated this leader’s forces at the Battle of Watling Street. Name this queen of the Icenii [“eye”-SEE-nee] tribe who may have committed suicide after a failed insurrection in Britain against the Roman Empire.

Answer: Boudicca [boo-DEE-kuh] [or Boudicea [boo-dih-SEE-uh]]

55. This country’s Garni Gorge contains basalt [buh-“SALT”] columns called the “symphony of stones”. This country’s Lori Province is the site of the Sanahin and Haghpat [ahk-PAHT] monasteries from the 10th century. This country’s Etchmiadzin [ech-myah-SEEN] Cathedral was built to celebrate Gregory the Illuminator’s conversion of Tiridates III [teer-ih-DAY-teez “the third”], which made this country the first to officially adopt Christianity. One-sixth of this country is taken up by Lake Sevan [seh-VAHN]. This country shares a language with Nagorno-Karabakh [nah-GOR-noh kah-ruh-BAHK]. This country separates Azerbaijan from the Nakhchivan [“KNOCK”-chih-VAHN] Autonomous Republic. Name this country in the Caucasus Mountains that borders Turkey, Iran, and Georgia, and whose capital is Yerevan.

Answer: (Republic of) Armenia [or Hayastan]

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56. A poem named for a red one of these objects states “Your lips betray the secret of your soul” and was written by Claude McKay. A poem about one of these objects by Rabindranath Tagore says “I fear lest it droop and drop into the dust.” According to Robert Herrick’s “To the Virgins, to Make Much of Time”, the one of these “that smiles today tomorrow will be dying”. A poetry collection partly named for these objects begins “Folly, error, sin, avarice occupy our minds and labor our bodies” in a poem called “To the Reader”. The first section in that collection is titled “Spleen and Ideal”. Name these objects named in a Charles Baudelaire [sharl boh-duh-lair] collection about the ones “of evil”.

Answer: flowers [or fleurs; accept *The Flowers of Evil* or *Les Fleurs du mal*]

57. The largest infrared telescope in space is on an observatory named for this scientist, in honor of this person’s discovery of infrared radiation. This person also discovered the moons Enceladus [en-SEL-uh-duss], Mimas [“MIME-us”], Titania [tih-TAHN-yuh], and Oberon [OH-bur-ahn]. A few decades after Charles Messier [sharl mess-yay] did so, this person organized a catalog of nebulae, receiving help from his sister Caroline and followed by observations by his son John from South Africa. Name this German-born British astronomer whose search for double stars led him to discover Uranus.

Answer: (Frederick) William Herschel

58. In one painting, an artist from this country depicted himself clutching a lover while laying on a white blanket in front of tilted rolling hills as they both look straight at the viewer; that painting was made after that artist left his previous love interest and model, Wally Neuzil [NOYT-sil] and is entitled *Death and the Maiden*. Another artist from this country painted Hygieia ["hi"-JEE-uh] in red flowing robes at the bottom of his painting *Medicine*, one of three works made for the ceiling of the Great Hall in one of this country's national universities. Three Gorgons and Typhoeus ["tie-FEE-us"] appear with a knight in shining armor and a singing chorus in a painting by an artist from this country. The same artist painted an eye-covered dress in his portrait of Adele Bloch-Bauer. Name this country of origin of Egon Schiele [ay-gahn SHEE-leh] and the artist of *Beethoven Frieze* and *The Kiss*, Gustav Klimt.

Answer: (Republic of) Austria [or Republik Österreich]

59. In one work written in this language, the author argues that the followers of another thinker are heretical because philosophy is incompatible with religion. Another work in this language argues that even if a man was born blind and unable to touch anything, he would still be able to affirm his own existence, which is the floating man argument. This language was used for *The Incoherence of the Philosophers* and *The Book of Healing*, plus a text that laid the groundwork for the doctrine of double truth. Between 1169 and 1195, a writer used this language for extensive commentaries on the works of Aristotle. Name this language used by al-Ghazali, Avicenna [av-ih-SEN-uh], and Averroes [uh-VAIR-oh-eez], as well as other Islamic thinkers.

Answer: Arabic [or al-arabiyah]

60. This Supreme Court majority decision states "The distinction between citizenship of the United States and citizenship of a state is clearly recognized and established." Chief Justice Salmon Chase joined Stephen Field's dissent to this decision by Samuel Miller, which claimed that the Fourteenth Amendment applied to state laws. This decision was a victory for the Crescent City Company, which gave power to New Orleans to regulate nearby businesses. Name this consolidated 1873 Supreme Court case which addressed attempts by New Orleans to control the amount of animal entrails that were brought into the city at high tide.

Answer: Slaughter-House Cases

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