

**Chapter 1 : The Famous Five # Five on a Hike Together - Scholastic Shop**

*THE FAMOUS FIVE THE BEST FOR A FIRST READ! Enid's Famous Five books featuring Julian, Dick, George and Anne and Timmy the dog, were the catalyst which encouraged me to start reading more than 50 years ago.*

However, the most expensive paintings are not necessarily the most famous paintings. The most famous ones are generally owned by museums, which very rarely sell them, and as such, they are quite literally priceless. An overview of the most famous paintings of all time, found in museums around the world. It depicts the goddess Venus or Aphrodite as she is known in Greek mythology emerging from the sea upon a shell in accordance with the myth that explains her birth. The original location of the painting and its commissioner remain uncertain. Today, the painting is held in the Uffizi Gallery in Florence. A Birth of Venus high resolution image can be found here. The paintings are on display at museums all over the world. For much of its existence, the painting was coated with a dark varnish which gave the incorrect impression that it depicted a night scene, leading to the name Night Watch. This varnish was removed only in the s. The painting is on display in the Rijksmuseum in Amsterdam. A high resolution image of the Night Watch can be found here. The landscape in the background is Oslofjord, viewed from the hill of Ekeberg, in Oslo. Edvard Munch created several versions of The Scream in various media. The one shown above was painted in and is on display in The National Gallery of Norway. It was stolen in in a high-profile art theft and recovered several months later. In another version of The Scream was stolen from the Munch Museum, only to be recovered in Very little is known about Vermeer and his works and this painting is no exception. In any case, it is probably not meant as a conventional portrait. Picasso completed the painting by mid-June The ceiling is that of the large Chapel built within the Vatican in Rome. Central to the ceiling decoration are nine scenes from the Book of Genesis. Among the last to be completed was the Creation of Adam in which God the Father breathes life into Adam, the first man. The Creation of Adam is one of the famous paintings of all time and has been the subject of countless of references and parodies. Leonardo began work on The Last Supper in and completed it in though he did not work on the painting continuously. Some writers propose that the person in the painting seated to the left of Jesus is Mary Magdalene rather than John the Apostle, as most art historians identify that person. Although Van Gogh sold only one painting in his life, the aftermath of his work is enormous. Starry Night is one of his most famous paintings and has become one of the most well known images in modern culture. The cypress tree to the left was added into the composition. A Starry Night high resolution image can be found here. He began painting the Mona Lisa in or and finished it shortly before he died in The painting is named for Lisa del Giocondo, a member of a wealthy family of Florence. After having kept the painting in his apartment for two years, Peruggia was finally caught when he attempted to sell it to the directors of the Uffizi Gallery in Florence. Today, the Mona Lisa hangs again in the Louvre in Paris where 6 million people see the painting each year. You Might Also Like.

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*The Famous Five has 42 ratings and 0 reviews. This boxed set contains ten Famous Five books: Five On A Treasure Island- Five Go Adventuring Again- F.*

Famous Five Chapter 10 Gail had left an hour ago, leaving the penthouse clean and the food in the oven. After coming out of the shower. I walk into my large walk in closet and take a look around. I have no idea what to wear. I run my hand through my dozens of button ups. Why am I overthinking this? I sigh and start picking through my shirts. You have every right to be worried, scared, nervous, and every other emotion known to man. I need to stop overthinking this. I settle on a dark blue button up and decide to not wear the jacket. I dress and walk out to the kitchen. Taylor had been given the night off and I was alone for the first time in a long time. The penthouse is audibly quiet. Usually when a new project comes about, I spend every waking moment at the office. It all has something to do with the girl in the apartment downstairs. The wonderful smell of the smoked salmon and apple pie are wafting from the kitchen. I check the time on my watch: Ana and I have ridden the elevator up together and I glanced at her every so often, trying to gauge what she was thinking about. She was quiet the entire ride. I was relieved that she was still coming. I still want her to work for me. I still want her to manage the hotel. But more importantly, I still want her to be my friend. Just as I had retrieved the chilled bottle of wine from the fridge, the doorbell rang. I took a deep breath, set down the wine, and walked over to my front door. I opened it to reveal her in a dark red dress. I swear my heart stopped beating. I close the door as soon as she steps inside. She walks around my penthouse, taking in all of it. Why does one man need all this room? I pull the salmon out of the top oven and setting it on the counter. I slide a piece onto each of our plates and pack on some veggies. I rather enjoyed it. I set down my utensil and grab her hands in mine. You deserve the world Ana and I would give it to you. Even if we did, he would find out one way or another. I was for a long time. You deserve to be happy; to be loved by someone. The only way to ensure that is never trying anything with you. That you were born with a silver spoon in your life. Then it all changed. He came home from partying with you one night and he was drunk out of his mind. When I had made a bad comment about you, he defended you. He said that you were a good guy. You worked hard, did everything with the best you got. But what happened to you made me respect you all that much more. Actually saves me the trouble of telling you myself. It made you the man you are today. Our dinner is left forgotten on the counter as I move us towards the bedroom. So much for taking it slow. Your review has been posted.

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A short speech has to be well focused, compact and pithy and also has to include all the elements of a long speech, with the inflexible time constraint. It cannot afford grandiloquent or an embellished flowery expression, yet it has to be equally engaging and result oriented. Famous five-minute speeches, delivered by many great men and women in different times, have a few things in common. Most of them have an amazing opening, a crystal clear objective, are emotionally engaging, delightful in listening and impressive visually. President Abraham Lincoln, on November 19, I have nothing to offer but blood, toil, tears and sweat â€¦ You ask, what is our policy? It is to wage war, by sea, land and air â€¦ You ask, what is our aim? I can answer in one word: Martin Luther King Jr. She was a born slave and after getting freedom in , she became an anti-slavery activist. Kennedy delivered a five-minute speech at St. Kennedy, her children, the parents and sisters of Robert Kennedy, I want to express what we feel to those who mourn with us today in this Cathedral and around the world. We loved him as a brother, and as a father, and as a son. From his parents â€¦ Love is not an easy feeling to put into words. Nor is loyalty, or trust, or joy. But he was all of these. He loved life completely and he lived it intensely. It was the day of Normandy landing by the Western allied forces to liberate mainland Europe from the Nazi occupation in the Second World War. Just prior to the commencement of the operation Neptune, General Dwight D. You are about to embark upon a great crusade â€¦ I have full confidence in your courage, devotion to duty and skill in battle. We will accept nothing less than full victory! And let us all beseech the blessings of Almighty God upon this great and noble undertaking. Duty, Honor, and Country. Today marks my final roll call with you. But I want you to know that when I cross the river, my last conscious thoughts will be of the Corps, and the Corps, and the Corps â€¦ bid you farewell. All right, you sons of bitches. You know how I feel. Francis of Assisi â€¦” Sermon to the Birds, St. Francis of Assisi St. Francis of Assisi â€¦” Sermon to the Birds is one of the most notable short speeches in history. The speech was written by Rudyard Kipling. To men and women so cut off by the snows, the desert or the sea that only voices out of the air can reach them; to those cut off from fuller life by blindness, sickness, or infirmity; and to those who are celebrating this day with their children and grand-children. To all â€¦” to each I wish a Happy Christmas. If you want only a five-minute speech, it will take me two weeks to prepare.

**Chapter 4 : Famous Five-Minute Speeches - A Knowledge Archive**

*The Famous Five. The Famous Five are a group of children who have the sort of adventures most kids dream about, in a world where ginger beer flows and ham rolls are a staple diet.*

It should be noted, first and foremost, that philosophy in its traditional sense was science – philosophers like Aristotle used rationality to come to scientific knowledge of the world around us. It was not until relatively modern times that philosophy was considered to be separate from the physical sciences. It is said that liberalism proper, the belief in equal rights under the law, begins with Locke. Locke is the man responsible, through Jefferson primarily, for the absence of nobility in America. Although nobility and birthrights still exist in Europe, especially among the few kings and queens left, the practice has all but vanished. He was soundly criticized by a lot of Christian polemicists those who make war against all thought but Christian thought, especially during the Middle Ages, because he was thought to be an atheist, whose principles for a happy life were passed down to this famous set of statements: Such intangible things he considered preconceived notions, which can be manipulated. Stoicism is based on the idea that anything which causes us to suffer in life is actually an error in our judgment, and that we should always have absolute control over our emotions. Put another way, the world is what we make of it. Epicureanism is the usual school of thought considered the opposite of Stoicism, but today many people mistake one for the other or combine them. Epicureanism argues that displeasures do exist in life and must be avoided, in order to enter a state of perfect mental peace ataraxia, in Greek. Stoicism argues that mental peace must be acquired out of your own will not to let anything upset you. Death is a necessity, so why feel depressed when someone dies? Why get enraged over something? The rage will not result in anything good. Of importance is to shun desire: He lived in the Persian Empire from c. The Dark Ages were not so dark. His two most well known works today are The Book of Healing which has nothing to do with physical medicine and The Canon of Medicine, which was his compilation of all known medical knowledge at that time. Influenced primarily by 1, his Book of Healing deals with everything from logic, to math, to music, to science. He proposed in it that Venus is closer than the Sun to Earth. Imagine not knowing that for a fact. The Sun looks a lot closer than Venus, but he got it right. He rejected astrology as a true science, since everything in it is based on conjecture, not evidence. As a matter of fact, the petrification of the bodies of plants and animals is not more extraordinary than the transformation of waters. Petrification can occur in any organic material, and involves the material, most notably wood, being impregnated by silica deposits, gradually changing from its original materials into stone. Avicenna is the first to describe the five classical senses: It would take too long to explain them in this list, but they are all forms of syllogisms, and every philosopher and student of philosophy is familiar with them from the beginning of education in the subject. Thomas founded everything he postulated firmly in Christianity, and for this reason, he is not universally popular, today. Even Christians consider that, since he derived all his ethical teachings from the Bible, Thomas is not independently authoritative of any of those teachings. But his job, in teaching the common people around him, was to get them to understand ethics without all the abstract philosophy. He was able to reach the masses with this simple, four-part instruction. He made five famous arguments for the existence of God, which are still discussed hotly on both sides: He has essence and existence, and these two qualities cannot be separated. He espoused significant principles of ethics and politics, in a time when the Greeks were espousing the same things. This may sound obvious to us today, but he wrote it in the early s to late s BC. It is the same principle of democracy that the Greeks argued for and developed: The emperor must be honest and his subjects must respect him, but he must also deserve that respect. If he makes a mistake, his subjects must offer suggestions to correct him, and he must consider them. Any ruler who acted contrary to these principles was a tyrant, and thus a thief more than a ruler. Confucius also devised his own, independent version of the Golden Rule, which had existed for at least a century in Greece before him. His phrasing was almost identical, but then furthered the idea: The second statement is much more important, constituting an active desire to help others. The only other philosopher of antiquity to advocate the Golden Rule in the positive form is Jesus of Nazareth. Smart is the new sexy! Analytical geometry is the study of geometry using

algebra and the Cartesian coordinate system. He discovered the laws of refraction and reflection. He also invented the superscript notation still used today to indicate the powers of exponents. He advocated dualism, which is very basically defined as the power of the mind over the body: He rejected perception as unreliable, and considered deduction the only reliable method for examining, proving and disproving anything. He also adhered to the Ontological Argument for the Existence of a Christian God, stating that, because God is benevolent, Descartes can have some faith in the account of reality his senses provide him, for God has provided him with a working mind and sensory system and does not desire to deceive him. From this supposition, however, Descartes finally establishes the possibility of acquiring knowledge about the world based on deduction and perception. In terms of the study of knowledge therefore, he can be said to have contributed such ideas as a rigorous conception of foundationalism basic beliefs and the possibility that reason is the only reliable method of attaining knowledge. Paul accomplished more with the few letters we have of his, to various churches in Asia Minor, Israel and Rome, than any other mortal person in the Bible, except Jesus himself. But without Paul, the religion would have died in a few hundred years at best, or remained too insular to invite the entire world into its faith, as Jesus wanted. Paul had more than one falling out with Peter, primarily among the other Disciples. Peter insisted that at least one or two of the Jewish traditions remain as requirements, along with faith in Jesus, for one to be counted as Christian. Paul insisted that faith in Jesus is all that is required, and neither circumcision, refusal of certain foods or any other Jewish custom was necessary, because the world was now, and forevermore, under a state of Grace in Jesus, not a state of Law according to Moses. He is especially impressive to have systematized these principles flawlessly, having never met Jesus in person, and in direct opposition to Peter and several other Disciples. Many theologians and experts on Christianity and its history even call Paul, and not Jesus, the founder of Christianity. That may be going a bit too far, but keep in mind that the Disciples intended to keep Christianity for themselves, as the proper form of Judaism, to which only Jews could convert. Anyone could symbolically become a Jew by circumcision and obedience of the Mosaic Laws every one of them, not just the Big Ten. Paul argued against this, stating that as Christ was the absolute greatest good that the world would ever see, and Almighty because he and the Father are one, then the grace of Christ is sufficiently powerful to save anyone from his or her sin, whether Jewish, Gentile or anything else. If Socrates wrote anything down, it has not survived directly. Plato and Xenophon, another of his students, recounted a lot of his teachings, as did the playwright Aristophanes. It is only through philosophy that the world can be free of evils. He argued against democracy proper, rule by the people themselves, since in his view, a democracy had murdered his teacher, Socrates. All things of the material world can change, and our perception of them also, which means that the reality of the material world is weaker, less defined than that of the immaterial abstractions. Plato argued that something must have created the Universe. Whatever it is, the Universe is its offspring, and we, living on Earth, our bodies and everything that we see and hear and touch around us, are less real than the creator of the Universe, and the Universe itself. This is a foundation on which 4 based his understanding of existentialism. But consider that Aristotle is the first to have written systems by which to understand and criticize everything from pure logic to ethics, politics, literature, even science. Aristotle is also the first person in Western history to argue that there is a hierarchy to all life in the Universe; that because Nature never did anything unnecessary as he observed, then in the same way, this animal is in charge of that animal, and likewise with plants and animals together. The Medieval Christian theorists ran with this idea, extrapolating it to the hierarchy of God with Man, including angels. Thus, the angelic hierarchy of Catholicism, usually thought as a purely Catholic notion, stems from Aristotle, who lived and died before Jesus was born. Aristotle was, in fact, at the very heart of the classical education system used through the Medieval western world. His principles of ethics were founded on the concept of doing good, rather than merely being good. A person may be kind, merciful, charitable, etc. We could go on about Aristotle, of course, but this list has gone on long enough. Honorable mentions are very many, so list them as you like.

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