

Chapters 1-7

1. Why did the female falcon attack Sam?
2. What did Sam eat that tasted like potatoes?
3. Why did Sam want the falcon?
4. How did Sam cook eggs?
5. How did Sam learn to build a fire?
6. What did Sam use as a calendar?
7. Who was The Baron?
8. Why did Sam think hickory trees were wonderful?
9. How many siblings did Sam have at home?
10. What did the little Old Lady force Sam to do?
11. Write about how being confined for several days in a small area like Sam was When he was in his tree during the snowstorm. How would you stay busy? What would you think about?

Chapters 8-12

12. How did Sam get mussels?
13. What was the visitor's name for Sam?
14. Who was Bando?
15. What did the teacher bring from town?
16. What were the best tunes for willow whistles?
17. How did Sam know he had caught a deer in his trap?
18. Why did the hikers leave Sam's area?
19. Why didn't Sam need to teach the visitor how to live off the land?
20. How did Sam get his first deer?
21. Who saw the smoke from Sam's fire and came to investigate?
22. Sam forgot to talk to Frightful while Bando was with him. Why do you think this happened?

Chapters 13-19

23. How did Sam celebrate Halloween?
24. Why was Sam surprised Mr. Jacket was a friend?
25. Who helped Sam overcome his loneliness while he was digging the clay?
26. What did Sam do to invite the animals to a Halloween party?
27. Sam invited Mr. Jacket to come to his camp. TRUE or FALSE
28. What did Mr. Jacket call Sam?
29. Why had Sam gone to town?
30. How did Sam test his fireplace?
31. Why did Sam consider hunters as friends?
32. What had Sam forgotten to do before winter?
33. Describe a time when you didn't prepare for an important event. How did it make you feel? Did you vow to do things differently the next time an important event was scheduled?

## Chapters 19-22

34. What vitamin did Sam lack during the winter?
35. What did Sam tell Matt Spell?
36. Who came for Christmas?
37. What did the deer teach Sam about plants?
38. What did Sam use as a barometer?
39. How did Sam name the birds?
40. Why did Sam stack the wood near the tree?
41. What had Dad brought with him?
42. The Baron was a carnivore. TRUE or FALSE
43. What event killed many birds?
44. Sam didn't know how much he missed his family until they came to the mountain.  
Describe a time when you were thrilled to see someone. How long had it been since you had seen them?

Additional Questions.....These can be found throughout the book.

45. How did Sam and The Baron meet the first time?
46. Who was the only person who believed Sam could live alone?
47. What was Sam's biggest problem in tanning the deer hide?
48. What lesson did the Halloween party teach Sam?
49. Why did Sam feed Frightful the lure instead of what she caught?
50. What whom did Sam celebrate Halloween?
51. What did Sam like to do best?
52. Why did Sam name the Falcon Frightful?
53. What kind of fish did Sam catch the first time he fished?
54. Who loved the land as much as Sam?