I. Fill in (24 points)

1.) ____________, who torments the children as they pass by her house, is the first adult whom they hear criticize Atticus for defending 2.) _____________. In retaliation, 3.) ____________ cuts the top off every camellia bush in her yard. His punishment is to 4.) ____________ to her two hours daily, including Saturdays, for a month. Scout accompanies Jem and describes Mrs. Dubose’s “fits.” After Mrs. Debose dies, Atticus explains that she had been addicted to 5.) ____________ and had been determined to die free of it. He uses Mrs. Dubose’s 6.) ____________ as a contrast to that type in which a man has “a gun in his hand” defining real courage as beginning something knowing “you’re licked before you begin” and seeing it “through no matter what.”

7.) ____________ is annoyed because Jem is moody and inconsistent, because 8.) ____________ won’t be coming for the summer, and because 9.) ____________ has gone to Montgomery for two weeks. In his absence, 10.) ____________ takes Jem and Scout with her to church. One member of the congregation tries to start trouble, but the others welcome the children. They learn that the day’s collection will go to 11.) ____________, the wife of the man Atticus is defending. When they return home, they find their 12.) ____________ sitting on the front porch.

II. Short Answer (20 points)

1. What does Atticus do that causes Scout to say she felt he was the “bravest man who ever lived”?

2. Atticus tells Jem it is his job not to let Mrs. Dubose make him mad. Jem, of course, doesn’t know at this point what Mrs. Dubose is going through. Are a persons’ reactions to others and to situations his or her responsibility or “job”? If you become angry, according to Atticus’ theory, who is to blame? Why? Discuss.

3. Why does the congregation sing the hymns by “lining”?
4. Scout states that Reverend Sykes' sermon was the same she had heard time after time at her own church. Cal, earlier, had told Lula that they all, black and white, had the same God. What do you think God would have to say about segregation and prejudice?

Extra Credit: Part of Speech

Label the part of speech of every word in this sentence.

Maycomb was an old town, but it was a tired old town when I first knew it.