

## Book Opening Lines Quiz (Round 5)

### [2022 Books](#)

You have the author and the opening line, but can you name the book?

### Clues

1) Frank Baum - Dorothy lived in the midst of the great Kansas prairies, with uncle Harry, who was a farmer, and aunt Em, who was the farmer's wife.

2) Charles Dickens - Marley was dead, to begin with. There is no doubt whatever about that.

3) Alex Haley - Early in the spring of 1750, in the village of Juffure, four days upriver from the coast of Gambia, West Africa, a manchild was born to Omoro and Binta Kinte.

4) Margaret Mitchell - Scarlet O'Hara was not beautiful, but men seldom realized it when caught by her charm as the Tarleton twins were.

5) William Golding - The boy with fair hair lowered himself down the last few feet of rock and began to pick his way towards the lagoon.

6) Harper Lee - When he was nearly thirteen, my brother Jem got his arm badly broken at the elbow.

7) George Eliot - Miss Brooke had that kind of beauty which seems to be thrown into relief by poor dress.

8) Sue Kidd - At night I would lie in bed and watch the show, how bees squeezed through the cracks of my bedroom wall...

### Answers

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### **The Wonderful Wizard of Oz**

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### **A Christmas Carol**

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### **Roots**

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### **Gone with the Wind**

5) William Golding - The boy with fair hair lowered himself down the last few feet of rock and began to pick his way towards the lagoon.

### **Lord of the Flies**

6) Harper Lee - When he was nearly thirteen, my brother Jem got his arm badly broken at the elbow.

### **To Kill a Mockingbird**

7) George Eliot - Miss Brooke had that kind of beauty which seems to be thrown into relief by poor dress.

### **Middlemarch**

8) Sue Kidd - At night I would lie in bed and watch the show, how bees squeezed through the cracks of my bedroom wall...

### **The Secret Life of Bees**