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1. What choices was Hamlet pondering in his “To be or not to be?” soliloquy?

Answer-- To be or not to be an evil. It is mean that, whether to believe a ghost of his father, to kill his own uncle, to revenge for his father or just forgone all of it and lived with sorrow.

2. What challenge did he face in his life at that time? What would you have done in his situation?

Answer—He lost his father and knows the truth about his father incident, not to mention about his mother re-marriage with the murder, his own uncle.

If I were him, I will make sure that what I heard from the ghost is true. Setting up a play and see his uncle reaction is a good idea but, I will not be the representative of it. I will pretend as if I know nothing about it and slowly, gain a trust from the king. When the time is right, I will kill him.

3. What did Hamlet decide to do? What things did he do (or not do) that eventually led to the tragic end of the play?

Answer—He decided to revenge, to kill his uncle but, he accidentally killed a wrong person, Polonius, the father of his beloved, Ophelia.

4. What do his actions say of his personality? What kind of man was Hamlet?

Answer—He is a quick-temper, even though he cold enough to not suddenly attacked his uncle but, make sure that his uncle is the murder. However, he did everything too quick and that leads to his end.

5. Do you think Hamlet was overcome with insanity during the course of the play?

Answer—He did not at all, he completely lured by his anger and sorrow in his heart. He mistreated his beloved, he murdered a wrong person. Even though if he could survived at the end of the play, he sill has to suffer from sadness anyway.