

American Doughboys: Experiences in World War I

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Understanding the Sacrifices Made by Soldiers

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Answer the following questions based on what you learned about American soldiers in World War I.

1. What were American soldiers in World War I commonly called?

- A. GIs
- B. Doughboys
- C. Troopers

2. Trench warfare was a comfortable and safe way for soldiers to fight.

True False

3. What were some of the extreme hardships faced by soldiers in the trenches?

4. The ultimate sacrifice soldiers make for others reflects Christ's love as mentioned in John 15:13, where it says that someone must lay down his life for his _____.

5. What was one surprising aspect of soldiers' experiences during World War I?

- A. They enjoyed their time away from home.
- B. They faced hardships beyond just fighting.
- C. They had plenty of food and comfort.

6. How can we show respect for soldiers who serve in the military?

7. American soldiers served in World War I without any challenges or dangers.

True False

8. Doughboys experienced trench warfare, which was a new and _____ form of combat.

9. What might soldiers have felt being far from home?

- A. Excited and happy
- B. Lonely and scared
- C. Indifferent

10. What can we learn from the service of American soldiers in World War I?

Answer Key

1. Doughboys 2. False 3. Soldiers faced disease, cold weather, and constant danger. These conditions made life very difficult. 4. friends 5. They faced hardships beyond just fighting. 6. We can show respect by thanking them for their service, learning about their experiences, and supporting veterans' organizations. 7. False 8. brutal 9. Lonely and scared 10. We can learn about the importance of sacrifice, bravery, and the challenges faced by those who serve our country.