Rwandan Genocide: Tragedy in the Modern Age - Exam

Directions: Select the answer that most correctly answers the question.

1. Which of the following countries do NOT border Rwanda?
   a. Democratic Republic of Congo
   b. Tanzania
   c. Uganda
   d. Kenya

2. Which of the following is NOT a prominent geographical feature in Rwanda?
   a. Mount Kilimanjaro
   b. Lake Kivu
   c. Akagera National Park
   d. Volcanoes National Park

3. Which European country controlled Rwanda?
   a. France
   b. Belgium
   c. Italy
   d. England

4. What conference was held by European powers to divide up Africa for colonial holdings?
   a. Paris Conference
   b. London Conference
   c. Berlin Conference
   d. Madrid Conference
5. Which of the following is NOT one of the main people groups in Rwanda?
   a. Maori
   b. Hutu
   c. Tutsi
   d. Twa

6. Which of the following physical features were used to determine Rwandan ethnic groups?
   a. Nose length
   b. Handedness
   c. Hair color
   d. Nailbed size

7. What media was most powerful in spreading genocidal ideology?
   a. Leaflets
   b. Radio
   c. Television
   d. Photography

8. The following quote is from what document: “Hutu must stop taking pity on the Tutsi.”
   a. Rwandan Bible
   b. Anti-Tutsi amendment
   c. Hutu 10 Commandments
   d. Interahamwe Code of Conduct
9. Whose plane was shot down that acted as the instigating act for the genocide to begin?
   a. President Habiarymana
   b. General Rusibagana
   c. President Mandela
   d. Colonel Anderson

10. Paul Kagame organized the RPF in what country?
    a. Tanzania
    b. Democratic Republic of Congo
    c. Rwanda
    d. Uganda

11. What weapon was used primarily in attacks on victims?
    a. Automatic rifle
    b. Arsenic
    c. Machete
    d. Cyclon-B

12. What was motivating attackers to kill victims?
    a. Fear
    b. Hatred
    c. Propaganda
    d. All of the above
13. General Dallaire was the leader of what group?
   a. Rwandan army
   b. UNAMIR
   c. USAID
   d. Red Cross

14. Who was president of the United States during the genocide?
   a. Bill Clinton
   b. George H. W. Bush
   c. George Bush
   d. Ronald Reagan

15. What term did the United States and UN use instead of “genocide”?
   a. Ethnic cleansing
   b. Acts of Genocide
   c. Mass murder
   d. Civil War

16. Refugee camps in what country became full of attackers and innocent civilians fleeing the RPF?
   a. Sudan
   b. South Africa
   c. Ethiopia
   d. Democratic Republic of Congo
17. What disease was common in refugee camps?

   a. Tuberculosis
   b. Cholera
   c. Whopping cough
   d. Yellow Fever

18. Which of the following is NOT a judicial body that addressed the genocide?

   a. Gacaca courts
   b. ICTR
   c. The Hague
   d. Supreme Court

19. Gacaca translates to…?

   a. Grass
   b. Meeting
   c. Office
   d. Revenge