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## Tuesdays With Morrie

1. Pick one character from the movie. Which stage of Piaget's stages of cognitive development are they in? How do you know? Give an example.
2. Evaluate one example of parenting in the movie. Did the parent demonstrate authoritarian, permissive, uninvolved, or authoritative parenting? Provide at least two reasons to support your answer.
3. Choose one young adult (20s to 40s) from the movie, and describe their conflict with intimacy vs. isolation.
4. Choose a second young adult (20s to 40s) from the movie, and describe their conflict with intimacy vs. isolation.
5. Choose one middle adult (40s to 60s) from the movie, and describe their conflict with generativity vs. stagnation.
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7. Choose one late adult (late 60s and up) from the movie, and describe their conflict with integrity vs. despair.

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9. Compare and contrast Mitch's and Janine's identities? How do you think their identity vs. role confusion conflict affect their intimacy vs. isolation conflict?

10. Provide two examples of parent/ children relationships in this movie. How is it different, depending on different stages of social development?

11. Give two examples of a "social clock" - the culturally preferred timing of social events such as marriage, parenthood, and retirement.

12. How do the characters grieve death in the movie?

13. How do you think role models are important in terms of social development? Which role models have been most influential in your social development?

14. Though you are in a different stage of social development than the characters in the movie, some challenges you face may be similar. As you watch the movie, keep a list of at least ten issues/ challenges the characters experience that are similar to those you are experiencing.

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15. Write three movie quotes that stood out to you.

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