**THE RIVER AND THE SOURCE**

1. Survival in a patriarchal society requires a strong willed character. Justify this statement in close reference to Akoko as portrayed in *The River and The Source* by Margaret Ogola.
2. Write an essay to support the statement “The destiny of any society lies in the hands of women”, referring to *The River and The Source* by Margaret Ogola.
3. The Whiteman’s culture is a blessing to the female gender. To what extent is this statement true? Illustrate using the text *The River and The Source* by prof. Margaret Ogola.
4. Margaret Ogola communicates her message in an admirable and pleasant way. Write an essay to describe such four instances drawing illustrations from *The River and The Source*.
5. Basing your answer on *The River and The Source*, explain the relevance of each of the subtitles in relation to the whole story.
6. Death is always a blow to those close to you. Drawing your illustrations from *The River and The Source*, show how Akoko’s death affects Maria Akumu, Elizabeth Awiti, and father Peter Owuor Kembo.
7. The society in the river and the source is biased against the girl child. Write an essay to support the statement drawing your illustrations from the text, *The River and The Source* by prof. Margaret Ogola.
8. Citing examples from *The River and The Source* by Margaret Ogola, write an essay to support the statement, Christianity is a sanctuary to those oppressed by barbaric cultural practices.
9. The modern educated woman is still a victim of bad perception. Justify this statement with illustrations from *The River and The Source* by Margaret Ogola.
10. Suffering strengthens the human spirit rather than break it. Justify this assertion with illustrations from *The River and The Source* by Margaret Ogola.
11. Citing relevant examples, write an essay to explain the significance of the title *The River and The Source* by Margaret Ogola.
12. Akoko is the epitome of courage and perseverance. Write an essay to support this statement basing your answer on *The River and The Source* by Margaret Ogola.
13. Sibling rivalry is the cancer that destroys even the best intentions. Basing your essay on Vera and Becky write an essay to show the validity of this statement using *The River and The Source* by Margaret Ogola for your illustrations.
14. The purpose of female existence was marriage and child bearing. Write an essay in support of this statement using *The River and The Source* by Margaret Ogola.
15. Using three characters in the novel, write an essay to show how the character portrays women as the driving force in society. Base your answer on The River and The Source by Margaret Ogola.