



GLASS SOCIETY LOCKDOWN QUIZ

Q1. Which 19th century heroine inspired the production and popularity of the pressed glass flower trough below?

As a bonus question, which company made it? **Grace Darling, Registered by Sowerby in February 1886**

Q2. Who made these two pre 1945 glasses? **Rene Lalique**

Q3. Who made this bowl which is engraved and made from ruby over cerise over clear? **Stevens & Williams**

Q4. From the Eila Grahame collection at Himley Hall, a shouldered decanter and stopper having burnished gilt decoration of scrollwork enclosing cartouche with the word "MADEIRA" within, c1760. Who was most probably the decorator? **James Giles**

Q5. Which Victorian manufacturer owned the trade mark below? **John Derbyshire of Manchester**

Q6. When he was Prime Minister Sir Alec Douglas-Home commissioned which Scottish glass factory to manufacture lighting globes for Downing Street? **Vasart**

Q7. He is credited with being one of the founders of the Studio Glass movement in Great Britain and headed the Glass Department at the Royal College of Art (RCA) from 1967-1974. **Sam Herman**

Q8. Which company developed the Orlak brand of glassware with the aim of competing with Pyrex? **Chance Brothers of Smethwick**

Q9. Well known for foxhunting subjects within an enclosed bubble stem, who was the lampworker and which company was he mainly associated with? **Bill Swingewood (Snr), Stevens & Williams**

Q10. Which decorative process was the machine, below, used for? **Etching, more specifically as part of the acid etching process**

Q11. This outstanding cameo vase sold for a record price of £206,313 by Bonhams in November 2019. Who was the artist and what is the full name of the vase? **George Woodall, The Origin of Painting.**

Q12. Taken from the price list of Warrington company 'Robinson, Son & Co', c1890, these objects are often described as decanters, but are more correctly known as what? **Incorporators**

Q13. Which well known Swedish glass artist made the image below? **Ulrica Vallien**

Q14. Which Premier League football club's crest is featured on this glass? **Tottenham Hotspurs**

Q15. Below is a pre-war biscuit barrel made in Germany, by a company who often produced mixed metal and glass objects. What is their name? **WMF or Württembergische Metallwarenfabrik**

Q16. Returning to the Eila Grahame collection. The two images below, dated 1660/1665, are taken from The Glass Society Journal Vol 1. Which town was this bottle possibly associated with? **Guildford**

Q17. The candlestick below was made in Norfolk in the latter part of the C20th, but who was the designer? **Ronald Stennett Willson**

Q18. Which company made the two items below? **Stuart**

Q19. From the Eila Grahame collection. This set of four cruet bottles c1785/90 are marked CAYENNE, TARRAGON, SOY and ELDER. Which popular song by Elton John from 1972 comes to mind with one of the flavours? **Elderberry Wine**

Q20. This armorial mixer from the late C19th has a Wyvern as part of the crest. What is the difference between a dragon and wyvern? **A dragon has 4 legs, a wyvern has 2.**