*1. How does Takei engage with both history and memory to shape his narrative? In your view, does Takei’s use of memory help or hinder the point he seeks to make, and why?*

*2. What were the most important historical factors that led to the forced incarceration of Japanese Americans during World War II? Provide at least TWO examples of arguments government and military officials made to justify the internment of people of Japanese descent.*

*3. What do you think were the most important ways families and individuals were affected by forced internment/incarceration? Provide and explain TWO specific examples of economic, psychological, social, political, or other consequences as discussed in the book.*

*4. Discuss at least TWO examples of Japanese American resistance to internment and discrimination in California and the US West. Make sure to explain the most important historical results or consequences of that resistance.*