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## *Siddhartha* - Reading Notes: Chapters 1 – 4

***PART 1*** – Each question requires a quote from the text with a listed page number and a three sentence explanation commenting on how the quote answers the question. Each question is worth 4 points each – 1 for the quote, 3 for the explanation. 34 points total.

\*Why does Siddhartha decide to leave his family and his old life behind (Quote & 3 sentence explanation +4 points)? What does this tell the reader about Siddhartha? (No quote) +3 points Do you agree or disagree with his decision? Explain why (no quote +3 points)

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\*After living with them for a while, what does Siddhartha realize about the Samanas' way of life (Quote & 3 sentence explanation +4 points)? Is Siddhartha's realization true for any other ways of living (no quote +3 points)?

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\*Why doesn't Siddhartha decide to follow Gotama (Quote & 3 sentence explanation +4 points)?  
+3 What is Hesse's message to the reader (no quote +3 points)? Do you agree or disagree?  
Explain why (no quote +3 points)

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\*How does Hesse show the difference between knowledge and experience (Quote & 3 sentence explanation +4 points)? Do you agree or disagree? Explain why (no quote +3 points)

**34 POINTS TOTAL**