

**Aphasia Book Club**  
***The Five Wishes of Mr. Murray McBride - Chapters 13-16***  
**Worksheet B**

1. Murray decides to meet Jason's father properly (pages 73-74). Jason's father doesn't seem to think that Murray is helping Jason, and is rude to Murray. Murray decides that Jason's dad is "misguided" and "got his priorities mixed up" (page 74). What does Murray think his priorities should be?

- a. Finding a new step-mom for Jason
- b. Doing things to make Jason happy ("it's about Jason")
- c. Making his next million

2. Murray meets Tiegan and Jason at the hospital for one of Jason's treatments. When the doctor checks Jason's vitals, Jason lies about how often he uses his oxygen (page 81). Do you think Murray should have spoken up and told the doctor the truth? Think about the reason why you chose your answer.

- a. Yes, Murray should have told the doctor.
- b. No, Murray should not have told the doctor.

3. Jason, Murray, and Tiegan have an email exchange regarding dinner (pages 85-87). Murray has a hard time understanding Jason's email, so Tiegan interprets it for him in standard English. How are Tiegan and Jason different? (circle all that apply)

- a. Tiegan and Jason are both young children
- b. Tiegan is more formal with Murray than Jason is
- c. Tiegan sees that Murray is "old-fashioned" and that he doesn't understand modern language
- d. Jason and Tiegan each have their own wish lists
- e. Murray only enjoys talking to Tiegan

4. Murray and Chance have an argument, and Chance says some disrespectful things towards his grandfather (pages 90-91). Chance apologizes, and Murray forgives him, thinking "Way I was raised, you forgive family. No matter what" (page 91). Do you agree with this statement?

1                      2                      3                      4                      5  
Disagree                      Neutral                      Agree

Would you have forgiven Chance if he had been that disrespectful to you?

- a. Yes, I would have forgiven him
- b. No, I would not have forgiven him