GETTYSBURG SCAVENGER HUNT

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Directions: Each question on this paper corresponds to a stop on the Gettysburg auto tour. The auto tour is marked by a red sign with a star on it beginning at the visitors center. Find all of the answers 1-16 then unscramble the letters underlined in red to find out the final clue! While these answers can be found online if you are really stumped, the fun is in exploring the different monuments and parts of the battlefield. Any Girl Scouts or Boy Scouts who complete this scavenger hunt also earn a special history patch. Good luck!

1. Mcpherson's Ridge
    How many cannons are next to the army of the Potomac (Cavalry Corps Second Brigade Horse Artillery) memorial?
    The battle at McPhearson's Ridge was on day one which was July 1st

    ____ ____ ____

2. The Eternal Light Peace Memorial
    Who was the President (Last Name) that dedicated the eternal light on what anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg?
    At this dedication, the flame was lit by a former Union and a former Confederate soldier together

    ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ on the ____ ____th anniversary

    Hint: the answer you seek is directly behind the eternal light memorial

3. Barlow Knoll Loop
    What was the last conflict listed on the side of the 88th PA infantry memorial?
    * General Francis Barlow of the Union army spread his troops too thin and lost the knoll to the Confederates*

    ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

4. Memorial Monument
    Which state's soldiers is this memorial dedicated to?
    One in four confederates who fell in battle were from this state

    ____ ____ ____ ____ ____   ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

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5. Robert E. Lee Monument

      What is the name of the horse Lee is mounted on?
       *This horse was a grey American Saddlebred of 16
                                  hands*

      ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

6. Pitzer Woods

      Whose sharpshooters scouted the woods, union or confederate?
    Pitzer woods is on the southern end of seminary ridge

      ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

7. Warfield Ridge

      What was the age of the oldest confederate general?
    Warfield ridge is a southern extension of seminary ridge

      ____ ____ ____

8. Little Round Top

      Which division held the main defense at Little Round Top under Joshua
      L. Chamberlain? (and essentially "saved" the entire Union line)
    *If the Confederates had taken Little Round Top they likely would have won
    the battle*

      ____ ____th ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ Infantry

9. Wheatfield

      Who was the priest who have the Union Irish brigade their last
      confession before the seemingly desperate fight in the wheatfield?

    Father   ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____   ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

10. Peach Orchard

      What was the name of the field right by this stop?
    *The battle decimated the Peach Orchard when it was eventually captured by
    The Confederates*

      ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ field

11. Plum Run

What state was the Battery who sacrifice themselvesin this battle from?

____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

12. Pennsylvania Monument

Which famous speech of Lincoln's is on the right side of the PA monument?

The PA monument is the largest monument on the Gettysburg Battlefield

____ ____ ____   ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

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13. Spangler's Spring

What is the quote on the left side of Spangler's spring?

The spring was used by both Unions and Confederates

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14. East Cemetery Hill

Which division of the West Virginia infantry is memorialized with a monument on the hill?

Hint, Spell out the number as seen on the monument

____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

15. High Water Mark

What charge caused the High Water Mark of the confederacy?

The High Water Mark was the furthest point reached by the confederate soldiers

____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

16. National Cemetery
    What is the name of the monument marking the spot where Lincoln gave the Gettysburg Address?

    Reminder the cemetery is a resting place for over 3,500 brave soldiers who died in the battle, be respectful when entering and walking around

    The ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____,

    ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

Bonus Letter Unscramble

Although not underlined in red, V is an additional letter needed to complete this puzzle. Use the letters underlined in red along with the aforementioned V to solve the puzzle.

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____ ____ ____   ____ ____ ____ ____   ____ ____ ____ ____

____ ____   ____ ____ ____ ____

Quote by Lincoln