



SELECTION QUICK CHECK

Score

The Seafarer translated by Burton Raffel (page 70)

Use complete sentences to answer the following questions.

1. What force of nature holds power over the speaker? _____

2. Who does the speaker say cannot understand the call of the sea and the suffering it brings? _____

3. Why does the speaker feel fear when the sails unfurl? _____

4. Other than God, what one thing does the speaker feel is beyond human control? _____

5. According to the author, where should we turn our thoughts? _____

