## Reading Comprehension: 23B and 24A

When does Valeria read the letter?
Where is Licinius at the time he writes?
Why are the soldiers working so hard? (Tactical reasons)
How would you describe the character and/or leadership style of Licinius' centurion?
What specifically gives you this impression (give words and/or lines in the text)?
What is the major project that Licinius and the other soldiers are working on?
What specific tasks are involved in the project as a whole?
What puts a temporary halt to their work?
What news does Licinius ask about his family?
What do the spectators do when they first enter the theater?
Where do Marcus and Lucius sit?
Where would Valeria and her family sit?
How inclusive is the audience at the theater (what portions of the population are in
attendance?
What does Marcus want to do when the play begins?
What does Lucius want to do?
Is the play going to be serious or comic?