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Growing Up, Laughing Hard

Multiple Choice Questions

1. Who was Uncle Ming, and how did he impact Maya's life?
 - a) Uncle Ming was Maya's best friend.
 - b) Uncle Ming was the neighborhood storyteller who shared stories about Maya's heritage.
 - c) Uncle Ming was a chef who taught Maya to cook traditional Asian dishes.
 - d) Uncle Ming was a famous actor.

2. What did the Patel family own, and what did Maya learn from them?
 - a) They owned a bakery, and Maya learned how to bake cakes.
 - b) They owned a textile shop, and Maya learned about textiles and storytelling through patterns and colors.
 - c) They owned a bookstore, and Maya learned how to write stories.
 - d) They owned a restaurant, and Maya learned how to make pizza.

3. Who was Maya's best friend in school, and what did they enjoy doing together?
 - a) Her best friend was Mrs. Nguyen, and they enjoyed cooking together.
 - b) Her best friend was Carlos, and they enjoyed exploring their diverse community and tasting different foods.
 - c) Her best friend was Uncle Ming, and they enjoyed listening to his stories.
 - d) Her best friend was Mr. Patel, and they enjoyed shopping for textiles.

4. What did Maya learn from her mom, Mrs. Nguyen, and how did they bond?
 - a) Maya learned to appreciate her Asian heritage through cooking traditional dishes, and they bonded in the kitchen.
 - b) Maya learned to appreciate art through painting, and they bonded in the art studio.
 - c) Maya learned to appreciate music through playing instruments, and they bonded in the music room.
 - d) Maya learned to appreciate books through reading, and they bonded in the library.

5. What was the central theme of Maya's coming-of-age journey?
 - a) Embracing her Asian heritage while ignoring diversity
 - b) Embracing diversity and appreciating her own heritage
 - c) Rejecting her Asian heritage to fit in with her diverse community
 - d) Rejecting diversity to focus solely on her Asian heritage

