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## The Abyss Below: Unveiling the Secrets of the Deepest Part of the Ocean

### Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is the deepest part of the ocean called?
  - a) Pacific Trench
  - b) Atlantic Abyss
  - c) Mariana Trench
  - d) Oceanic Chasm
  
2. How deep is the Challenger Deep, the deepest point in the Mariana Trench?
  - a) Approximately 5,000 feet
  - b) Approximately 20,000 feet
  - c) Approximately 36,070 feet
  - d) Approximately 50,000 feet
  
3. Which famous oceanographer and U.S. Navy officer were the first to descend to the Challenger Deep in 1960?
  - a) Jacques Piccard and Don Walsh
  - b) Robert Ballard and Sylvia Earle
  - c) Steve Zissou and Jane Goodall
  - d) James Cameron and Mary Leakey
  
4. What is the approximate pressure at the bottom of the Mariana Trench?
  - a) 15,750 pounds per square inch
  - b) 500 pounds per square inch
  - c) 30,000 pounds per square inch
  - d) 1,000 pounds per square inch
  
5. What special adaptation allows the Mariana snailfish to survive in the extreme conditions of the trench?
  - a) Ability to generate heat
  - b) Resistance to pressure
  - c) Thick fur coat
  - d) Gills that filter out toxins

