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The Enigmatic Sphinx: Guardian of Ancient Egypt

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is the primary role of the Sphinx in ancient Egypt?
 - a) Religious ceremonies
 - b) Protection and guardianship
 - c) Agricultural rituals
 - d) Entertainment and festivals

2. What is the Sphinx's face believed to represent?
 - a) A lion
 - b) A pharaoh
 - c) A god
 - d) A commoner

3. What symbolic message did the Sphinx convey with its lion's body and pharaoh's head?
 - a) The importance of agriculture
 - b) The divine right of the priests
 - c) The union of the human and divine in the pharaoh
 - d) The dominance of animals in Egyptian culture

4. What famous riddle is associated with the Sphinx in Greek mythology?
 - a) The riddle of the pyramids
 - b) The riddle of the Nile
 - c) The riddle of the Nile floods
 - d) The riddle of human existence

5. What has been done to address the challenges the Sphinx faces in modern times?
 - a) Nothing, as the Sphinx is considered indestructible
 - b) Conservation and restoration efforts
 - c) Relocation to a safer location
 - d) Demolition and reconstruction

