

The Pelltale Heart (1956)

In each group below, A clues lead to seven-letter words, B clues lead to five-letter words, and C clues lead to three-letter words. In each case, the answers to B clues are the answers to A clues missing the first and last letter, and with different “hearts” (i.e., central characters). Answers to C clues are the answers to B clues missing the first and last letter, and with different hearts. (e.g., A=CHAPTER, B=HARTE, and C=ACT)

In each group, all answers have different hearts. In the four letters to the right of each group, cross off these hearts. The remaining letters will deliver an answer to you.

	A	B	C	Hearts
Group 1	Inpairs sensation, in a way	Consumed, corroded	Card worth 1 or 11 in blackjack	C D F T
Group 2	Patron saint of Ireland	A garret	___ Chi	A M R T
Group 3	Shape with several sides	Prefix meaning few	It might be wooden	E I O Y
Group 4	Raced or cruised in a specific type of vessel	Less than 90 degress; severe	Feline	A H I U
Group 5	With “ever after”, common ending	Fourth month of the year	Greek letter of the alphabet	H P R S
Group 6	Capital of Scotland	Very slow in tempo	<i>Hulk</i> director Lee	D N R S
Group 7	One’s relatives	Toughen, harden	Negative conjunction	D O U W
Group 8	“Am scray!” (2 wds)	Culture	Homophone of “to”	H L O W
Group 9	One of the Marx brothers	Butt of a marijuana joint (slang)	Like unprescribed medication	A I T U
Group 10	With deadly consequences	A coral island consisting of a reef surrounding a lagoon	Rock group ___ <i>Tuesday</i>	A I O V
Group 11	Heroism; showy display	Speeding one in a contest	Beverage	C D L V
Group 12	Championship; a win	Blood of the gods	Talk fondly of	E H O T
Group 13	Having a pattern of unevenly spaced stripes	Summa cum _____	Plus	D I N U
Group 14	Weightlifting equipment	Sprite in <i>The Tempest</i>	Type of bread or whiskey	B I S Y
Group 15	Manager of a public figure or politician	Part of the foot	The Panthers’ sports organization (abbr)	D F H K