



THE HOBBIT

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Questions

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Answers

What did Thorin ask Bilbo to do?

- **To go into the mountain and scout the trail.**

What was the glow in the tunnel coming from?

- **Smaug**

How did Smaug know the company was there?

- **He knew a cup was stolen**

How did Smaug react to the intruders?

- **He flew out of the mountain and burned the surrounding area**

Did the whole company survive his first attack?

- **Yes**

Why did Bilbo go back to see Smaug?

- **To find Smaug's weakness**

How did Smaug know Bilbo was there?

- **He could smell him and feel his movement**

How should someone talk to a dragon?

- **In riddles**

Where did Smaug think Bilbo came from?

- **Laketown**



What effect did Smaug have on people?

- **He puts them under his spell, makes them turn on one another**

What weakness did Bilbo see?

- **An unprotected spot on Smaug's chest**

Who did Bilbo think was listening to their conversation?

- **A thrush**

What is the Heart of the Mountain?

- **The Arkenstone**

What did Smaug do to the mountainside where the door was?

- **He smashed it with rocks**

Where did Smaug go?

- **To find Bilbo's origin point**