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**D-Day: Flags of Our Fathers**

**Annotations & Guide Question**

**Directions: Annotate within the text the answer to each one of these questions, as well as any other important information. Also answer the questions on the page.**

1. What does Iwo Jima mean?
2. What date did this all begin?
3. Finish Parrish’s quote, “You’re going to learn more in the first five minutes there than….”
4. What did Howlin’ Mad Smith say the barrage of 1-ton shells was like?
5. How long did the battle on Iwo Jima go on? How big was the island of Iwo Jima?
6. What was the 28th Regiment’s “special mission” (hint: not just to land)?
7. What was General Kuribayashi’s radical strategy?
8. Where did the biggest mortars, heavy artillery shells, and machine-gun rounds come from?
9. What did the shock of actual combat do to some of the Marines?
10. What did photographer Joe Rosenthal declare not getting hit was like?
11. What “comic moment” happened when Lt. Pennel started to walk off the amtrac’s ramp?
12. Where did Turner get hit?
13. What did Ira see and how did he feel once the ramp went down?
14. What happened to “Buttermilk Chick” and how old was he?

**ANALYSIS: Answer the following question in 1 paragraph (7 sentences minimum) using textual evidence**

Discuss the quote on pg. 243, “*You learn there’s an awful lot you can do when having the hell scared out of you*.” What does that mean (in context of the story)? Has there been a time where you can personally relate to that statement?