

## **True/False Questions related to The Plague**

Based on the excerpt by Thucydides, indicate whether each statement is true or false. Rewrite the false statements to make them true.

1. The plague was believed to have originated in Africa.
2. Prayers made in the temples seemed to slow the spread of the disease.
3. People who caught the disease felt chilled and wanted to be covered with blankets.
4. People who caught the disease became extremely thirsty.
5. In most cases, death came from fever on the seventh or eighth day.
6. There was no recognized method of treatment.
7. If they caught the disease, people who were naturally healthy tended to survive it.
8. Many people died without anyone caring for them.
9. People who came down with the plague and recovered often caught the disease a second time and died as a result.
10. Given that death was occurring all around them, the Athenians prayed harder and worshipped the gods more than ever before.