

REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 1994

MOTTOES, ABBREVIATIONS, AND QUOTATIONS

I. Mottoes

1. Regnat populus  
a. Arkansas b. Alabama c. Maryland d. Missouri
2. Ad astra per aspera  
a. Connecticut b. Maryland c. Oklahoma d. Kansas
3. Ense petit placidam sub libertate quietem  
a. Michigan b. Mississippi c. Missouri  
d. Massachusetts
4. Animis opibusque parati  
a. South Carolina b. New York City c. Puerto Rico  
d. Order of the Jesuits
5. Which of the following does NOT have lux in its motto?  
a. Berkeley b. Yale c. Vermont d. Washington
6. Dominus illuminatio mea  
a. Fordham University b. City College of New York  
c. Oxford University d. University of Chicago
7. In lumine tuo videbimus lumen  
a. Scotland b. Columbia University c. Boston  
d. United States Air Force
8. Pro deo et veritate  
a. University of Georgia b. Stetson University  
c. University of Wisconsin d. Duke University
9. Per ardua ad astra  
a. Royal Air Force b. Coast Guard Academy  
c. Blue Cross d. the Olympics
10. Veritas et utilitas  
a. College of William and Mary b. Howard University  
c. University of South Florida d. Rollins College

II. Abbreviations

11. p.r.n.  
a. as needed b. take as prescribed c. before birth  
d. notwithstanding
12. f.r.  
a. right-hand page b. on the back of the page  
c. spontaneously d. in the same place

13. J.D.  
a. Divine Will b. Law of Succession c. Doctor of Law  
d. The Right to Teach
14. stat.  
a. every morning b. yesterday c. immediately  
d. as much as you please
15. cet. par.  
a. before b. compare c. except for those  
d. others being equal
16. Which of the following abbreviations is equivalent to B.C.?  
a. A.M.D.G. b. A.A.C. c. A.H.S. d. A.U.S.
17. With what profession is the abbreviation c.a.v. associated?  
a. law b. politics c. commerce d. education
18. The abbreviation s.d. would be found  
a. on a cornerstone. b. in a legal document.  
c. in a letter. d. on a medicine bottle.
19. The abbreviation s.v. after a signature on a document indicates that  
a. it was signed by a secretary.  
b. the author himself signed it.  
c. the signer was in full control of his faculties.  
d. it was signed under compulsion.
20. In what part of a newspaper would the abbreviation d.s.f. most likely be found?  
a. in a clothing advertisement  
b. on the religion page  
c. in the theater section  
d. in the obituary column

III. Complete the phrase or choose the best translation for it.

21. lapsus \_\_\_\_\_  
a. calami b. operandi c. loci d. vivendi
22. Fortuna est \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. pecunia b. rota c. mea d. caeca
23. Odi et \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. timeo b. amo c. metuo d. doleo
24. Finis coronat \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. vitam b. diem c. res d. opus

25. ne plus \_\_\_\_\_  
a. bona b. mala c. ultra d. supra
26. post proelium, \_\_\_\_\_  
a. mortem b. praemium c. vitam d. quietem
27. Patria est communis omnium \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. parens b. monumentum c. vita d. iudex
28. Parvum parva \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. odit b. vincet c. decent d. iuvant
29. aut \_\_\_\_\_ aut mori  
a. vivere b. pugnare c. vincere d. loqui
30. potius \_\_\_\_\_ quam foedari  
a. mori b. errare c. occidere d. properare

IV. Choose the equivalent of the given Latin phrases or quotations.

31. carpe diem  
a. with some allowance b. act authoritatively  
c. a definite purpose d. live in the present
32. lis sub iudice  
a. legal rights b. minor details  
c. an unwritten law d. a case not yet decided
33. vade mecum  
a. a party invitation b. a parenthetical remark  
c. an indispensable handbook d. by my authority
34. ex proprio motu  
a. spontaneously b. necessarily c. extemporaneously  
d. voluntarily
35. pro rata  
a. as a formality b. temporarily c. in proportion  
d. for the rest of the day
36. pons asinorum  
a. a legal maxim b. a difficult problem  
c. without disguise d. a masterpiece
37. aequam servate mentem  
a. play fair b. stay healthy c. think straight  
d. keep your cool
38. tabula rasa  
a. a blank page b. an abacus c. a secret deal  
d. a permanent document

39. locum tenens  
a. a substitute    b. without further proof  
c. stubbornness    d. an absolute command
40. acta est fabula  
a. an extraordinary deed    b. the whole thing's a farce  
c. it's all over    d. a story for the ages

V. Choose the author of each quotation.

41. Mens sana in corpore sano  
a. Juvenal    b. Cicero    c. Horace    d. Seneca
42. Dux femina facti  
a. Seneca    b. Lucretius    c. Ovid    d. Vergil
43. Homo sum; humani nihil a me alienum puto.  
a. Terence    b. Ovid    c. Caesar    d. Vergil
44. Ave atque vale  
a. Catullus    b. Ovid    c. Horace    d. Cicero
45. Ut sementem feceris ita metes.  
a. Augustus    b. Cicero    c. Pliny the Younger  
d. Vespasian
46. Docendo discitur  
a. Ovid    b. Seneca    c. Catullus    d. Lucretius
47. Noxiae poena par esto.  
a. Cicero    b. Horace    c. Vergil    d. Terence
48. Maximum remedium est irae mora.  
a. Cicero    b. Lucretius    c. Seneca    d. Horace
49. Peior est bello timor ipse belli.  
a. Seneca    b. Vergil    c. Horace    d. Plautus
50. Est modus in rebus.  
a. Lucretius    b. Vergil    c. Sallust    d. Horace