HONORS ELA 10

Comprehension Questions for “A Hunger Artist” by Franz Kafka

**DUE: Friday, August 29th**

**DIRECTIONS:** Please answer the following questions in 3-5 sentences on a separate sheet of paper. Be sure to answer in complete sentences and to address all parts of the question.

1. The story never tells us why hunger artists all of a sudden become unpopular.
   1. Why do you think the hunger artist's act was popular?
   2. Why do you think audiences lost interest?
2. Do you think the hunger artist is heroic? Why or why not?
3. Do you think an act like the hunger artist's would be popular today? Why or why not?
4. Why do you think the children and adults in the audience have different reactions to the hunger artist's act?
5. What do you believe is the overall theme of this story? Why or why not?