

Test yourself.

Is it simple, compound, complex, or compound-complex?

- 1. Helen Keller was born in Tuscumbia, Alabama, in 1880 and died in 1968.**
- 2. Until she was 19 months of age, her sight and hearing were normal.**
- 3. At the age of 19 months, a severe illness left her deaf and blind.**
- 4. When she was seven, she began her education in reading and writing with Anne Sullivan of the Perkins Institute for the Blind.**
- 5. Through persistence and stubbornness, Anne breaks through Helen's walls of silence and darkness and teaches her to communicate.**
- 6. Helen Keller learned to read by the Braille system, and she learned to write by using a specially constructed typewriter.**
- 7. Later, she entered Radcliffe College and graduated with honors in 1904.**
- 8. Helen Keller's story needed to be told, so in 1962, a beautiful movie was made about her life.**
- 9. "If there were only joy in the world, we could never learn to be brave and patient." -- Helen Keller**
- 10. "Life is either a daring adventure, or it is nothing." -- Helen Keller**