

RELATIVE CLAUSE EXERCISES

PART A: MULTIPLE CHOICE / MAKE THE BEST CHOICE

1. This is the place _____ I met my wife.
A. what B. where C. which D. that
2. Simon is the man _____ Mary loves.
A. who B. which C. whom D. A&C
3. My wife, _____ is a doctor, works at Community Hospital.
A. who B. which C. whom D. that
4. She is the one _____ I told you about.
A. what B. which C. whose D. who
5. Those _____ had studied hard passed their exams.
A. what B. which C. who D. whose
6. The painting _____ Ms. Wallace bought was very expensive.
A. whom B. whose C. which D. where
7. _____ is your favourite sport, swimming or running.
A. What B. Which C. Whom D. Whose
8. Were the Wright brothers the ones _____ built the first aeroplane?
A. which B. whom C. whose D. that
9. I don't like stories _____ have unhappy endings.
A. where B. which C. they D. who
10. Ansel Adams was a landscape photographer _____ photographs of the western United States show nature on a grand scale.
A. whose B. of whom C. of his D. his
11. Jan didn't check she had enough petrol before she left, _____ was careless of her.
A. what B. it C. that D. which
12. This is a town _____ many people live.
A. in which B. which C. at which D. on which
13. She, _____ is your sister, lives far away.
A. which B. who C. whom D. she
14. I see some girls _____ are pretty.
A. whom B. which C. who D. they
15. Give back the money _____ you took.
A. it B. who C. whom D. which
16. He was killed by a man _____ friends we know.
A. whose B. which C. whom D. that
17. He spoke to the messengers with _____ you were leaving.
A. which B. whom C. whose D. that
18. We captured a town _____ is in Spain.
A. whom B. where C. which D. it
19. The farmers _____ we saw were in the field.
A. whose B. which C. they D. whom
20. The women _____ I gave the money were glad.
A. to whom B. to that C. for whom D. for that
21. I know a boy _____ name is John.
A. who B. whose C. whom D. that
22. The man _____ you sent to the general has reported the victory.
A. whose B. which C. whom D. he
23. I saw those slaves _____ had been led to the city.
A. whose B. which C. whom D. who
24. The people _____ courage you praised are now citizens.
A. whose B. which C. whom D. that
25. You folks _____ live in farmhouses do not like the life of the city.
A. whose B. who C. they D. which
26. Those towns _____ you were looking at in Gaul are small.
A. who B. where C. which D. whom
27. In Helvetia I have seen a large city _____ many people live.
A. at which B. which C. on which D. in which

28. He _____ is not my friend is my enemy.
A. who B. which C. whom D. A&B
29. I sent my friend the books _____ I had written.
A. who B. which C. whom D. what
30. Behind the farmhouse there was a large garden, _____ the farmer and his sons were working.
A. for which B. which C. in which D. that
31. Did you see the men *to whom* I gave the money?
A. to whom B. which C. from whom D. to that
32. She sends me the book _____ she _____ two years ago.
A. whom / writes B. whose /wrote C. which/ writes D. which / wrote
33. The man _____ spoke to John is my brother.
A. whom B. who C. whose D. which
34. I must thank the man from _____ I got the present.
A. who B. whom C. that D. which
35. It is a car _____ I bought last year.
A. whom B. who C. which D. whose
36. He is the man _____ son is a doctor
A. whom B. which C. who D. whose
37. The woman _____ next door is a famous singer.
A. lives B. who live C. living D. that living
38. The house _____ in the storm has now been rebuilt.
A. destroyed B. destroying C. which destroyed D. that is destroyed
39. The man _____ at the blackboard is our teacher.
A. stood B. stands C. standing D. to stand
40. Tom was the last _____ the classroom yesterday.
A. to leave B. leaving C. left D. leaves
41. Linda was the last student _____ at the oral exam.
A. to be asked B. asking C. asks D. to ask
42. The bridge _____ by French architects is very nice.
A. was designed B. designing C. to design D. designed
43. The problems _____ they are discussing at the meeting are very important.
A. who B. which C. Ø D. both B and C
44. Michael told me about students _____ have just got the scholarship.
A. which B. Ø C. who D. whose
45. The ring _____ is made of gold and diamond.
A. she is wearing it B. he gave it to her C. Linda like D. she is wearing
46. The house _____ is situated in the city centre.
A. which B. we have just bought C. in where we live D. which we live
47. I come from a city _____ is located in the southern part of the country.
A. who B. whom C. that D. whose
48. The film about _____ they are talking is fantastic.
A. who B. which C. whom D. that
49. That 's the woman to _____ Jim used to be married.
A. who B. whom C. which D. that
50. I talked to a woman _____ car had broken down on the way to the party.
A. which B. who C. whose D. whom
51. Vicky, _____ name was missed off the list, wasn't very pleased.
A. which B. whose C. who D. whom
52. The picture was painted by Laura, _____ is being shown in an exhibition.
A. which B. whose C. who D. whom
53. The concert _____ we are looking forward is next Saturday.
A. which B. that C. whom D. A & B
54. We are talking about the girl who used to be a Miss World.
A. The girl about whom we are talking used to be a Miss World.
B. We hardly know a girl who used to be a Miss World.

- C. The girl who used to be a Miss World said that she knew you.
D. We know the girl who used to be a Miss World.
55. He told her about the book. He liked it best.
A. He told her about the book which he liked it best.
B. He told her about the book which he liked best.
C. He told her about the book whom he liked best.
D. He told her about the book whose he liked best.
56. The old man is working in this factory. I borrowed his bicycle yesterday.
A. The old man is working in this factory which I borrowed his bicycle yesterday.
B. The old man whom is working in this factory I borrowed his bicycle yesterday.
C. The old man whom I borrowed his bicycle yesterday is working in this factory.
D. The old man whose bicycle I borrowed yesterday is working in this factory.
57. This is my opinion. You can do nothing to change it.
A. You can do nothing to change it my mind.
B. There's nothing you can do to change my mind.
C. There's nothing can be done except changing my mind.
D. You can do everything to change it my mind.
58. The man _____, is the secretary.
A. which you have just spoken
B. whose you have just spoken
C. to whom you have just spoken
D. to who you have just spoken
59. It is the village where you _____, isn't it ?
A. used to living
B. used to live
C. use to live
D. use living
60. The police have caught the man _____.
A. who stole my motorbike.
B. whose stole my motorbike.
C. whom stole my motorbike.
D. which stole my motorbike.
61. Colin told me about his new job, _____ very much.
A. that he's enjoying
B. he's enjoying
C. which he's enjoying
D. he's enjoying it
62. The man is my teacher. I am grateful to him.
A. The man whom I grateful to him is my teacher.
C. The man is my teacher who I am grateful.
B. The man whom I am grateful to is my teacher
D. The man to him I am grateful is my teacher.
63. Ngoc is friendly. We are talking about her.
A. Ngoc, we are talking about, is friendly.
C. Ngoc, about her we are talking, is friendly.
B. Ngoc, whom we are talking about is friendly
D. Ngoc, about whom we are talking, is friendly
64. A pilot is a person who flies an aircraft.
A. A person who called a pilot flies an aircraft.
C. A person that flies an aircraft is called a pilot.
B. A pilot is someone who flies an aircraft.
D. Both B and C are correct.
65. That is the student. I borrowed his book last week.
A. That is the student I borrowed whose book last week.
B. That is the student, whose book I borrowed last week
C. The student whose book I borrowed that is.
D. That is the student whose book I borrowed last week
66. We like the computer. We bought it yesterday.
A. We like the computer which we bought it yesterday
B. We like the computer we bought yesterday.
C. We like the computer we bought which yesterday
D. The computer we like we bought yesterday.
67. Dr. Sales is the person_____
A. I don't have much confidence.
B. in whom I don't have much confidence
C. whom I don't have much confidence in him

- D. in that I don't have much confidence
68. What was the name of the horse _____?
- A. it won the race. B. which won the race.
C. who won the race. D. whom won the race.
69. It doesn't matter to them which film they go to.
- A. Whatever films are shown, they never see.
B. They don't care about the cost of the films they see.
C. Which film they go to matters more than the cost.
D. They don't mind which film they go to.

PART B: WRITING: Complete the sentences, using a relative pronoun.

1. The pub is opposite the Town Hall. I first met my wife there.
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2. He was sitting on a chair. It was uncomfortable.
✂
3. The film is about a king. His ambition was to rule the world.
✂
4. There are lots of bars and restaurants in the neighbourhood. I live in the neighbourhood.
✂
5. The local market sells excellent local produce. It is a two-minute walk from my flat.
✂
6. The Olympic snowboarding event was exciting. Many people watched it on TV.
✂
7. Her book was published last year. It became a best seller.
✂
8. Do you know a restaurant? We can have a good meal there.
✂
9. This is Mrs. Jones. Her son won the championship last year.
✂
10. We visited the monument. It was built a hundred years ago.
✂
11. Children like to eat ice-cream. It can cause toothache.
✂
12. We bought a car last week. The car is blue.
✂ The car
13. The girl is a singer. We met her at the party.
✂ The girl
14. The bananas are on the table. George bought them.
✂ The bananas
15. We watched a film last night. It was really scary.
✂ The film
16. I have to learn new words. They are very difficult.
✂ The new words
17. The pen is on the desk. It is blue.
✂ The pen
18. This is the new president. We all voted for him.
✂ This is
19. I met a Finnish tourist. He lives in Helsinki.
✂ The Finnish
20. I know the man. He is going to marry my friend.
✂ I know
21. John bought a new DVD player. It was made in Korea.
✂ The new
22. The palace stands outside the town. It was built _____ years ago.
✂ The palace
23. I have one black cat. His name is Blacky.
✂ I have