

The Fearless Four

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13 She can create a snowy swirl,
19 She freezes the sunniest villain's heart,
25 Her name is Blue Ice Girl!
- 34 His breath is as hot as the scorching sun,
40 His hair is one big flame,
48 He saves the day with his sizzling ways,
53 Fire Boy is his name!
- 61 She appears like a bolt from the night,
68 And some say that she is frightening,
76 But she'll rescue you with an electric flash,
81 She's known as Lady Lightning!
- 89 You might not know that he is there,
95 But he always has a plan,
100 Being invisible is his game,
104 He is Transparent Man!



Quick Questions



1. Which superhero has breath 'as hot as the scorching sun'?



2. Think of another word or phrase that the poet could have used in this line: 'His breath is as hot as...'



3. Why might you not know that Transparent Man is there?



4. What kind of emergency might you call one of the Ferocious Four to help you with?

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Answers



1. Which superhero has breath 'as hot as the scorching sun'?

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2. Think of another word or phrase that the poet could have used in this line: 'His breath is as hot as...'

Any sensible suggestion, e.g. frying bacon, burning lava.



3. Why might you not know that Transparent Man is there?

Accept any inference that relates to his transparency, e.g. Because he is invisible so you wouldn't be able to see him.



4. What kind of emergency might you call one of the Ferocious Four to help you with?

Accept any sensible prediction linked to the text, e.g. I would call Blue Ice Girl if my house was on fire because she would put it out with her freezing powers.