**Homework Questions for “SUPER HUMAN”**

1. What does X look like, in and out of uniform? Describe him in detail and explain the choices you made.

In uniform: Black and gray camouflage pants, black athletic socks, black Converse high-top sneakers, close fitting long-sleeved black T-shirt with a big white X painted in the center, black motorcycle gloves, a mask that comes in two parts, black eyes, black skin and bald head.

Out of uniform: Square chin and jawline, dark brown skin, black eyes, bald head, wide nose, sharp cheekbones, he’s a beautiful black young man.  
  
It’s the way the book described him.

1. What motivates X’s recent actions?

He has lost faith in humanity and wishes to see them be destroyed. He’s been shot by the police while he wasn’t X. For the simple reason that he is black.

1. Why was Syrita selected to meet with X?

She’s the first known person that X had saved.

1. When Syrita’s mother tells her, “It’s not a crime to be poor,” what assumption is she making with this statement?

That some people which are in a more comfortable position tend to believe that all crime is committed by people who don’t have any means. The police tend to target people from less wealthy parts of town, particularly when they engage in police brutality.

1. X explains to Syrita "Once you figure out the neighborhood, you can figure out most of the people. I swear to you. Even the air is different." Do you agree or disagree? Consider the impact of stereotypes and socio-economic inequality. Connect your thoughts/answer to evidence from the text.

I disagree. Whether or not people live next to each other, you can’t put them all in the same bucket. Everyone is different and has different values. It isn’t right to judge everyone based on how wealthy they are.

1. Syrita realizes that the country didn't value X when was not in uniform. What is this story saying about injustice and what current events can you relate it to?

What ever you did in your life, even if it is the greatest good, or the worst of the worst. Depending on how you look it may or may not matter to some people. Rich people getting away with horrors, while a man like George Floyd gets killed for no reason by the police, simply because he was black.

1. How did the story end in your mind? Does Syrita survive the fall? Is humanity destroyed?

I think that her fall from grace may have proved to X that humans have a soul and can still feel compassion. Even if some don’t. You can’t put everyone in the same boat. He must have noticed that she, at least, was different and saved her. She didn’t convince him with words but with her actions. I think X saves Syrita in the end and gives a second chance to humanity. Though, probably with not without any conditions.