Questions part 5

1. Why was Brian so willing to use money to help start his fire?
2. Describe how Brian felt when the "nest" finally burst into flames.
3. What unexpected benefits did Brian get from the fire?
4. Why was he unable to cook his food?
5. Explain how Brian's body and mind had changed.
6. How did the sight of the kingfisher awaken him to a new source of food?

**Vocabulary:**  ignite, tinder, kindling, sputtered, haunches, exasperation, clump, shredded, tendrils, flammable, wad, smoldered, Cro-Magnon, oxygen, mass, consuming, gratified, brace, flue, smeared, banked, eddied, dusk, coals, sloshing, dormant, craved, intensity, pyramid, raw, convulse, staggering, bluff, gnarled, crayfish