

Into Thin Air: Jon Krakauer

Chapter 1 & 2

1. What was the controversy about the naming of Everest?
2. Who was the first to summit- when?
3. What world event happened on the same day as the first Everest summit?
4. What efforts were put in place to control the environmental impact on Everest?

Chapter 3

Create a twenty second radio add for a fictitious climbing company of your own. How would you convince people to climb with you?

Chapter 4

What new female character is introduced?

"Discuss the role of the Sherpa on Everest"

Chapter 5

Character descriptions, compare and contrast Rob Hall and Scott Fischer

- physical description
- attitude
- past achievements
- Climbing companies
- family life
- country of origin

Please note page numbers to support your facts.