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1. Socrates was a famous ancient _____ of ancient Greece.
2. Socrates wanted to answer questions about _____ and _____.
3. Socrates questioned the existence of _____.
4. While imprisoned, Socrates drank _____ and _____.
5. Socrates was accused of _____ the young people of _____. As punishment, he was sentenced to _____.
6. Socrates wanted people to be _____ with each other.
7. Socrates had his own unique style of _____. He was good at questioning and listening to others and then probing them for _____.
8. Socrates was _____ years old when he died.
9. Socrates was one of the first philosophers to ask _____.
10. Socrates' teaching technique was called the _____.

Answer Key

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1. Socrates was a famous ancient **philosopher** of ancient Greece.
2. Socrates wanted to answer questions about **friendship** and **courage**.
3. Socrates questioned the existence of **the gods**.
4. While imprisoned, Socrates drank **poison** and **killed himself**.
5. Socrates was accused of **corrupting** the young people of **Athens**. As punishment, he was sentenced to **death**.
6. Socrates wanted people to be **honest** with each other.
7. Socrates had his own unique style of **reasoning**. He was good at questioning and listening to others and then probing them for **contradictions**.
8. Socrates was **70** years old when he died.
9. Socrates was one of the first philosophers to ask **what is right and what is wrong**.
10. Socrates' teaching technique was called the **Socratic Method**.