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Rivers

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3.	U	B	I	I	O	V	D	I	S	C	H	A	R		E	F	R	W	Y	N	K	K	Y	O	W	I	H
4.	P	C	N	X	H	Y	D	R	O	L	O	G	I		K	F	T	C	W	H	J	H	N	Z	G	K	P
5.	Z	L	R	W	N	S	Y	K	V	G	F	A	L		S	Q	N	L	U	B	Z	U	K	Z	F	H	K
6.	O	S	U	X	Z	B	N	M	S	S	E	G	O		I	L	E	R	E	F	L	Q	A	Z	G	N	M
7.	K	J	X	A	I	G	R	J	E	R	O	S	I		N	I	U	V	G	L	J	A	G	N	X	M	O
8.	R	O	D	T	F	B	V	G	N	C	P	Z	G		A	V	I	T	Y	Z	U	Z	H	A	R	U	Q
9.	S	D	Z	D	R	A	I	N	A	G	E	B	A		I	N	X	B	D	E	D	T	R	O	S	I	I
10.	H	H	L	I	R	J	E	M	E	A	N	D	E		W	Z	L	F	C	W	T	Z	I	O	J	F	Q
11.	J	S	I	G	Y	G	O	U	M	T	P	D	A		T	J	Y	U	X	V	W	D	C	U	R	R	G

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