The Connecting Wall - answers

The Wall contains 20 clues labelled A to T

The answers to these 20 clues can be arranged into 5 groups of 4 whereby each answer in a group has a word or part of a word (sometimes in sound, rather than spelling) in common with the other 3 answers in that group.

The 5 shared words/part-words belong to an overall theme

Provide the 4 answers in each group, the 5 shared words, and the overall theme

1 point for each answer - 1 point for each of the five shared words - 5 points for the overall theme

A	B North Salford area; scene of 1885 colliery disaster	C Stepney, Poplar and Bethnal Green	D
E 1857 novel satirising Church of England factions	F Elgar wrote Sospiri; what does 'sospiri' mean?	G 1685 trials following Battle of Sedgemoor	H Vietnam war film based on book by Ron Kovic
David Copperfield	J Chris, Vin,	K Forsyth novel	L Catholic

character; runs off title based on 1968 Bernardo, Lee, Chico **Cathedral of Bristol** with Little Em'ly et al **Nuclear Treaty**

M Magnox & PWR P Between Chalk Finished 2nd 1947-1958: between Aldeburgh Farm & Hampstead Ramadier to de in last 4 series of and Southwold on the Northern line Gaulle Strictly

Q

S From Battle of St Helens-born comedian; looks **Jumonville Glen to Treaty of Paris** after Oswald

A - D - J - S Seven / Severn



A: The Seven Year Itch

(film poster featuring Marilyn Monroe)



D: Austin 7

Chris, Vin,
Bernardo, Lee, Chico
et al

J: The Magnificent Seven

(first names of 5 of the 7 characters)

S From Battle of Jumonville Glen to Treaty of Paris

S: The Seven Years' War

(1756 - 1763)

B-L-O-R Clifton

B North Salford area; scene of 1885 colliery disaster

B: Clifton

(Clifton Hall Colliery)

Catholic Cathedral of Bristol

L: Clifton Cathedral

(Cathedral of SS Peter & Paul)

Finished 2nd in last 4 series of Strictly

O: Kevin Clifton

(with S Reid, F Bridge, K Bright & , L Redknapp)

R St Helens-born comedian; looks after Oswald

R: Bernie Clifton

(Oswald is the ostrich he rides in his act)

C-E-Q-T Tower

Stepney, Poplar and Bethnal Green

C: Tower Hamlets

E 1857 novel satirising Church of England factions

E: Barchester Towers

(by Anthony Trollope)



Q: The Tower of Babel

(by Pieter Brueghel the Elder)



T: Alton Towers

(logo of amusement park)

F - G - M - P Size / Sighs

F Elgar wrote
Sospiri; what does
'sospiri' mean?

F: Sighs

(from Italian sospiri)

G 1685 trials following Battle of Sedgemoor

G: Bloody Assizes

(Judge Jeffreys after the Monmouth Rebellion)

M Magnox & PWR between Aldeburgh and Southwold

M: Sizewell

(Nuclear Power Station on Suffolk coast)

P Between Chalk Farm & Hampstead on the Northern line

P: Belsize Park

H-I-K-N Forth / Fourth

H Vietnam war film based on book by Ron Kovic

H: Born on the Fourth of July

David Copperfield character; runs off with Little Em'ly

I: (James) Steerforth

K Forsyth novel title based on 1968 Nuclear Treaty

K: The Fourth Protocol

N 1947-1958; Ramadier to de Gaulle

N: The Fourth Republic

(French Government & first/last Prime Ministers)

Severn Bridge (x 2) Clifton Suspension Bridge (Avon, Bristol) Tower Bridge (Thames, London) Bridge of Sighs (Oxford & Cambridge) Forth Bridge (x 3)

.... all names of

UK Bridges