

Fellowship Notes

Under Armor - Part 4

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Three Fiery Arrows

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The Jersey

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2. Team _____

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WHAT IS UNDER THE ARMOR?

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