68 years They were the loudest sounds ever heard Unzen (1792) Starvation and illness/disease There were no warning systems in place and people had moved into the town thinking it was safer There was so much ash in the sky that the sun couldn't shine through/it was dark all year V: Continually

Answers:

1. 30,000

P: Look for answers that reference us having better warning systems now/reference to crops failing not being so severe with global trade. For more deaths, look for answers that reference more densly populated cities and living closer to volcanoes

V: Waves consuming/eating/devouring/smothering etc the shore