

Short Story Questions

1. Who was the protagonist of the story? Who was the antagonist?
2. What kind of character is the protagonist? Explain your choice with evidence from the story.
3. What is the setting of the story (list all 4 aspects)?
4. From what point of view is the story told? Who is telling the story?
5. What was the main conflict found in this short story? Explain the conflict with evidence from the story.
6. What is the mood of the story?
7. What is the author's tone? Does he/she strive to enlist our sympathy?
8. Diagram the plot of the story. List at least 3 incidents and state the specific climax. Make sure to label all parts of the plot diagram.
9. What is the theme of the story?