

Two Friends Worksheet

A – Instructions: Using your own paper write the word and definition. Use the dictionary or the reference computer to look up the meaning of the word.

Atrocity
Fanatical
Pensive
Reconnoiter
Rejuvenated
Respite
Siege

B – Instructions: On a separate piece of paper answer the following questions. Express your answers using complete sentences.

1. Who are the two friends the title refers to?
2. Why do you think Morissot and Sauvage are willing to risk their lives to go fishing?
3. What does the Prussian commander ask of the captives?
4. What happens to the two friends when they don't give the password?
5. Do you think the Frenchmen do the right thing by refusing to cooperate with the officer? Explain your response.
6. Provide an example of **situational irony** from the story.
7. Do you think either friend would have acted differently had he been captured alone?

C - Instructions: Extended writing. On your own paper, create an alternative ending where one (or both) of the Frenchmen decided to reveal the password.