Name _____ Class _____ Date _____

The Fisherman and the Little Fish



Worksheet · Grades 2–4

Comprehension Questions

1. What did the fisherman catch at the beginning of the story?
2. What did the little fish ask the fisherman to do?
3. Why did the fisherman refuse to let the fish go?
4. What was the fish's argument for why it should be released?
5. What message or moral can be derived from the fisherman's decision?

Vocabulary Matching Exercise

Match the words to their correct meanings by writing the letter in the blank space provided.

Word	Meaning	Answer
1. Fisherman	A. To give up or set free	
2. Entreat	B. A person who catches fish	
3. Profit	C. To ask earnestly or beg	
4. Certain	D. A gain or benefit, especially in money	
5. Spare	E. Sure, definite, not uncertain	

Writing/Reflection Task

Reflect on the moral of the story. Write a few sentences about what you learned from it and how it might apply to your life.

Feel free to share your thoughts with a partner or keep them for your own reflection!