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The Traveler and Fortune

Worksheet · Grades 2–8



Comprehension Questions

1. What was the Traveler doing when Dame Fortune appeared to him?
2. Why was Dame Fortune concerned about the Traveler's potential fall into the well?
3. What does Dame Fortune suggest about the nature of blame and personal responsibility?
4. How does the story reflect the idea that individuals shape their own destinies?
5. Can you think of a time when you or someone you know blamed an external factor for a personal misfortune?

Vocabulary Exercise

Match the words on the left with their correct meanings on the right.

Word	Meaning
1. Fortune	A. To take responsibility for one's actions
2. Calamity	B. A chance event that brings good or bad luck
3. Blame	C. A disaster or misfortune
4. Master	D. To have control or authority over something
5. Folly	E. Lack of good sense or foolishness

Writing/Reflection Task

Reflect on the story of "The Traveler and Fortune." Consider the moral lessons it conveys about personal responsibility and fate.

1. What is the main lesson you learned from the story?

2. How can you apply this lesson to your own life?

3. Write about a personal experience where you took responsibility for your actions.

Feel free to print this worksheet and complete the exercises to deepen your understanding of the story and its moral implications!