

# Six-Word Memoir for Les Miserables

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Legend has it that Hemingway was once challenged to write a story in only six words. His response?

“For sale: baby shoes, never worn.”

Your challenge is to write a six word memoir (a story telling about someone’s life) for each of the following characters from Les Miserables. Use the knowledge you gleaned from the book and/or songs we have analyzed. Remember, it must be EXACTLY six words and communicate that character’s story through his/her thoughts, conflicts, and life events.

Work as a group to create the memoir for each character.

COSETTE:

FANTINE:

JEAN VALJEAN:

EPONINE:

JAVERT:

MARIUS:

THENARDIER:

YOU: