

## Mercedes' Reaction

This activity accompanies chapter 41 from *The Count of Monte Cristo* by Alexandre Dumas, record number 5542.

**Activity Title:** Mercedes' Reaction

**Description:** The students will work with a partner to explain Mercedes' reaction to seeing the Count of Monte Cristo.

**Subject:** Reading and Language Arts

**Skill:** Literary Analysis

**Behavioral Objective:**

- The student will explain Mercedes' reaction to seeing the Count of Monte Cristo.

**Materials:**

- *The Count of Monte Cristo*, chapter 41, available in audio and print form at <http://etc.usf.edu/lit2go/>
- Paper and pencils

**Procedures:**

Read the chapter with the students, or have them read it on their own. Discuss with the students the main idea of the chapter. Next, have the students work with a partner to write an explanation for how Mercedes reacts to seeing the Count of Monte Cristo. When the students have finished working, have a whole class discussion reviewing their answers.

