

Character Pictures

This activity accompanies chapter 10 from *Uncle Tom's Cabin* as told to children by Harriet Beecher Stowe, told by H.E. Marshal, record number 4865.

Activity Title: Character Pictures

Description: The student will illustrate two characters from the chapter and write descriptions for each. They will then share how the characters are alike and how they are different.

Subject: Reading/Language Arts

Skill: Compare and Contrast

Behavioral Objective:

- The student will compare and contrast two characters from the chapter.

Materials:

- *Uncle Tom's Cabin*, chapter 10, available in audio and print form at <http://etc.usf.edu/lit2go/>
- Pencils and paper
- Compare and contrast chart (template below)

Procedures:

Read the tenth chapter of *Uncle Tom's Cabin* or have the students read it on their own. Discuss with the students that many of the characters of the book have different feelings and characteristics. Have the students choose two characters from chapter 10 and draw a picture of each. Then have them write descriptions for each character (template below). Next, have the students share with a partner or with the class how the two characters are alike (compare) and how they are different (contrast).



