

The Count's Intentions

This activity accompanies chapter 77 from *The Count of Monte Cristo* by Alexandre Dumas, record number 5578.

Activity Title: The Count's Intentions

Description: The students will work in small groups to discuss why the Count of Monte Cristo does not want Haidee to mention the name Morcerf.

Subject: Reading/Language Arts

Skill: Literary Analysis

Behavioral Objective:

- The student will discuss why the Count of Monte Cristo does not want Haidee to mention the name Morcerf.

Materials:

- *The Count of Monte Cristo*, chapter 77, 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. Then, have the students work in small groups to discuss why the Count of Monte Cristo does not want Haidee mentioning the name Morcerf. When the students have finished discussing, have a whole class discussion reviewing their answers.

