

Chapter 10

Periods 2/5/6 (P)

After reading the chapter, comment on the following quotations/events in the story.

1. "How can I take it? I wondered. Dally is tougher than I am. Why can I take it when Dally can't? And then I knew. Johnny was the only thing Dally loved. And now Johnny was gone" (p. 152). **Explain the context and significance of the quote.**

2. "Dally raised the gun....I knew that was what Dally wanted....slowly crumpled with a look of grim triumph on his face....I knew that was what he wanted" (p. 154). **Explain the context and significance of the quote.**

3. Describe how Pony sees the way Dally will be and won't be remembered after his death.

4. Describe how Johnny will be remembered.

5. Should either boy only be remembered in one way? What might Pony be saying here?

6. Why doesn't Ponyboy want to remember what happened to Johnny and Dally?