



The Necklace by Guy de Maupassant

Understanding the main ideas

Why did Madame Loisel suffer?

What did the husband bring in the envelope?

Why did the wife throw the envelope resentfully?

Why did the girl go to her friend Madame Forestier?

Why did Madame Loisel want to run away from the party?

What did Madame Loisel realize in front of the mirror at home?

Which three organizations did the Loiseles go to in order to find the necklace?

What did the family write to the friend who borrowed the necklace?

Where did they take the money to replace the loss?

What did Madame Loisel have to do after the whole accident?

How did she change?

What did she discover when she met Madame Forestier on the street?

What do you think is the central idea of the story?