

“The Cask of Amontillado”

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Questions:

1. Why was Montressor so intent on seeking revenge against Fortunato?
2. How did Montressor succeed in getting Fortunato into the wine cellar?
3. A. Describe the Montressor coat of arms.

B. What was the family motto?

C. What does it mean?
4. Who is the protagonist? Antagonist?
5. List 3 types of conflict found in this story and give examples of each.
6. How did Montressor finally get his revenge?

Irony:

Point out the irony in each of the following: (identify the **type** and how it is ironic)

- a. Fortunato's name
- b. His masquerade of a jester
- c. Montressor's "concern" over the cold, damp night and Fortunato's health
- d. His toast to the dead
- e. His pride in his knowledge of good wine
- f. "May he rest in peace"

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Devise a plotline for Poe’s “Cask of Amontillado”:

Climax

Falling Action

Rising Action

Conclusion

Hook:

Setting:

Characters: