

EXERCISES IN CONNECTION WITH *MORTMAIN* BY GRAHAM GREENE

Questions for Discussion

- 1) Describe the relationship between Julia and Carter? Who is in charge?
- 2) What kind of person is Julia?
- 3) In what way is Josephine different from Julia?
- 4) What do you think Josephine feels about Carter?
- 5) Why does Josephine act the way she does?
- 6) How does Julia react on Josephine's behaviour? Why? Does Julia react correctly, according to you? What else could she have done?
- 7) What do you think Carter's and Julia's future will be like?
- 8) Why do you think the story is called "Mortmain"?

First discuss the questions in small groups. Take notes.

Writing assignment

Write a short essay where you answer and discuss the questions above. Be sure to include your own opinions and reflections. Your essay should be at least one typed page. You should also use 15 words from the vocabulary list.

Good luck! (Watch out for dead hands!)