



THE MAN FROM ST. PETERSBURG

Book Discussion

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

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- Take the perspective of one of the major characters: Walden (Conservative), Felids (Anarchist), or Charlotte (Suffragette). Discuss why their system of belief is correct.
- Are there flaws to their system of belief?
- Based on the characters presented in the novel, discuss the views of proper Victorian society toward acceptable behavior, parenting, and intimate relationships.

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- Take a stance and defend it with evidence from the book: Given the nature of pre-WWI diplomacy, was Felix correct in wanting to address the problem in the ways that he chose?
- How does Follett demonstrate the differences between classes and the nature of British aristocratic society throughout the novel?
- Discuss the ending of the book. Did Felix get what he was hoping for in his assassination attempt? How do you feel about Churchill's actions in the ending?

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