

Charles Dickens 200 Years

NOVELS

Ex.1 Reading

Match the beginning of a title with its end. You may have to do some research on the Internet.

• The Posthumous Papers	• of Edwin Drood
• The Adventures	• Shop
• The Life and	• Expectations
• The Old Curiosity	• A Tale of the Riots of 'Eighty
• Barnaby Rudge:	• Carol
• A Christmas	• on the Hearth
• The Chimes	• of Life
• The Cricket	• and the Ghost's Bargain
• The Battle	• of Martin Chuzzlewit
• The Haunted Man	• Son
• The Life and Adventures	• Friend
• Dombey and	• Two Cities
• David	• of the Pickwick Club
• Bleak	• of Oliver Twist
• Hard	• Adventures of Nicholas
• Little	• Nickleby
• A Tale of	• Dorrit
• Great	• Copperfield
• Our Mutual	• HouseTimes: For These Times
• The Mystery	

Ex.2. Speaking

Looking at the titles of Charles Dickens' novels what can you guess about the author and the times he lived in?

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Teachers' Notes

Before asking students to do the matching exercise you may wish to preteach the following words:

posthumous

adventure

riot

to haunt

bargain

curiosity

mutual

chime

Answer Key:

1. The Posthumous Papers of the Pickwick Club
2. The Adventures of Oliver Twist
3. The Life and Adventures of Nicholas Nickleby
4. The Old Curiosity Shop
5. Barnaby Rudge: A Tale of the Riots of 'Eighty
6. A Christmas Carol
7. The Chimes
8. The Cricket on the Hearth
9. The Battle of Life
10. The Haunted Man and the Ghost's Bargain
11. The Life and Adventures of Martin Chuzzlewit
12. Dombey and Son
13. David Copperfield
14. Bleak House
15. Hard Times: For These Times
16. Little Dorrit
17. A Tale of Two Cities
18. Great Expectations
19. Our Mutual Friend
20. The Mystery of Edwin Drood

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