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The Awakening by Kate Chopin

Author _____

of pages _____

Main Characters _____

Setting _____

Introduction - How does the book begin?

Symbolism - What does water symbolize in the book?

Characterization - What role does Adele Ratignolle play in the plot?

Conflict - Is Edna's sense of dissatisfaction the result of an internal or external problem? Justify your answer

Symbolism - What does the Pontellier family home symbolize to Edna?

Plot - What role do Edna's children play in the plot?

Climax - Where does the climax of the novel occur?

Theme - What is the novel's main theme?

Do you think this novel serves as a positive or negative influence on women? Be sure to include examples from the novel to justify your response.
