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A Doll's House:
Act III Reading Guide

I. Vocabulary: Be able to define the following words and understand them when they appear in the novel. Also, be prepared to be quizzed on these words.

capricious: tending to make sudden changes

II. Questions: answer the following questions while you read to check your comprehension.

1. Why does Kristine Linde say she couldn't meet Krogstad at her place?
2. Why does Krogstad think Kristine is calculating?
3. Why does Kristine say she had to break it off with Krogstad in the past?
4. What does Kristine say in response to Krogstad saying he would demand the letter back from Torvald?
5. Why does Torvald think Kristine should embroider rather than knit?
6. What does Dr. Rank say Nora should go as for the next masquerade party?
7. What does Dr. Rank say he will go as at the next masquerade party?
8. What does Torvald notice about the mailbox?
9. Who does Nora blame for the mailbox?
10. What letters does Torvald find first?
11. Why does Torvald sometimes wish that Nora were in terrible danger?
12. Right before Torvald reads the letter, what is Nora thinking about doing?
13. What does Torvald say Nora can never be trusted to do?

14. What does the second letter say?

15. Nora says that this is the first time she and Torvald have done what?

16. What job does Nora say she has to do before she can raise children?

17. What does Nora say she will do immediately?

18. What duty does Nora say she also has?

19. What does Torvald say about giving up honor?