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Coping with Loss

Short Answer

1. Why does Johnny's death affect Dally so deeply?
2. How does Ponyboy's reaction to loss differ from Dally's?
3. What does Johnny's last message to Ponyboy teach him about life?
4. How does loss shape Ponyboy's decision to write his story?
5. Why do you think the Greasers feel loss more strongly than the Socs in the novel?

