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Twisted Fate

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is ironic about the narrator's love for Pluto?
 - a) He adopts more cats after Pluto disappears.
 - b) Pluto is actually a dog, not a cat.
 - c) He claims to love Pluto but later harms him.
 - d) The narrator forgets Pluto exists.

2. Why is the police's discovery of the hidden crime an example of irony?
 - a) The narrator confesses before they find the body.
 - b) The narrator taps on the very wall where he hid his crime.
 - c) The police search the wrong house.
 - d) The police were never suspicious of him.

3. How does the second cat create irony in the story?
 - a) It looks exactly like Pluto and reminds the narrator of his crime.
 - b) It helps the narrator feel better about his actions.
 - c) It disappears without a trace.
 - d) It helps the narrator escape the police.

4. What kind of irony is used when the reader knows the narrator will be caught, but he does not?
 - a) Situational irony
 - b) Dramatic irony
 - c) Verbal irony
 - d) Tragic irony

5. What lesson does the irony in The Black Cat teach?
 - a) People can escape their mistakes if they try hard enough.
 - b) Superstition is more powerful than guilt.
 - c) Cats always get revenge.
 - d) Trying to hide a crime will always lead to punishment.

