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## Twisted Fate

### Short Answer Key

1. Irony makes the story scarier because it shows how the narrator brings about his own downfall without realizing it.
2. It is ironic because he thinks he has gotten away with his crime, but the audience knows he will be caught.
3. The second cat constantly reminds the narrator of his guilt, making him more paranoid and careless.
4. He starts as a kind man who loves animals, but he ironically becomes cruel and violent toward them.
5. Irony makes the horror more interesting by surprising the reader and building suspense.

