*The Crucible* Study Guide

**Terms to Know**

1. Foreshadowing:
2. Allusion:
3. Simile:
4. Dramatic Irony:
5. Tragic Hero:
6. Dramatic Exposition:

**Describe who each of the following characters are**.

1. John Proctor
2. Reverend Parris
3. Abigail Williams
4. Betty Parris
5. Rebecca Nurse
6. Giles Corey
7. Judge Danforth
8. Elizabeth Proctor
9. Mary Warren
10. Mr. Putnam
11. Sarah Good
12. Martha Corey
13. Mercy Lewis
14. Mrs. Putnam
15. Judge Hathorne
16. Ruth Putnam
17. Sarah Osburn
18. Reverend Hale
19. Tituba
20. Arthur Miller

**Comprehension**

1. Where and when is the setting of The Crucible?
2. When was the play written?
3. What did Miller compare the Salem Witch Trials to?
4. What was Arthur Miller accused of supporting?

**Also, look over your study questions for review.**

**Know which character said the following quotes**.

1. “There are them that will swear to anything before they’ll hang.”
2. “You drank blood Abby! You didn’t tell him that!”
3. “I’ve always wanted to ask a learned man- what signifies the readin’ of strange books?”
4. “I never sold myself! I’m a good girl! I’m a proper girl!”
5. “I think you must go to Salem, John. I think so. You must tell them it is fraud.”
6. “Let you sometimes look for the goodness in me, and judge me not.”
7. “Pontius Pilate! God will not let you wash your hands of this!”
8. “Cain were an upright man, and yet he did kill Abel.”
9. “There might also be a dragon with five legs in my house, but no one has ever seen it.”
10. “Cleave to no faith when faith brings blood.”
11. “No, I love God; I go your way no more. I love God. I bless God. Abby, Abby, I’ll never hurt you more.”
12. “I denounce these proceedings. I quit this court.”
13. “I should hang ten thousand that dared rise against the law.”
14. “Had I no other proof of your unnatural life, your dry eyes now would be sufficient evidence that you delivered your soul to Hell!”
15. “He have his goodness now. God forbid I take it from him!”