

The Great American Characters

Whether any author has written The Great American Novel is debatable, but our best writers have given us these 56 characters to remember.

N	G	N	I	L	L	O	B	X	N	I	B	H	C	N	I	F	S	U	C	I	T	T	A	I
R	T	G	A	A	S	N	F	I	G	N	A	T	I	U	S	R	E	I	L	L	Y	G	E	S
A	N	R	N	I	N	B	L	S	R	Z	D	K	R	T	N	A	G	E	N	E	G	U	E	T
A	E	N	N	I	F	Y	R	R	E	B	E	L	K	C	U	H	W	C	I	B	B	S	O	U
J	D	R	Z	A	M	G	W	L	E	N	N	I	E	S	M	A	L	L	E	B	S	M	O	D
O	D	E	B	N	U	E	M	I	R	R	O	G	P	C	A	B	H	Y	I	H	J	C	H	S
L	Y	T	A	B	T	O	L	T	L	J	H	C	R	A	M	O	J	G	U	O	B	C	E	L
N	M	S	A	A	T	R	S	F	A	L	E	D	M	R	L	Y	G	M	A	E	R	R	E	O
I	E	E	T	E	A	G	P	K	Y	P	I	R	W	L	A	E	B	D	M	A	E	A	L	N
E	R	L	S	O	A	E	E	R	S	R	C	E	Y	E	R	E	D	S	M	E	J	E	F	I
N	R	R	L	R	A	B	B	I	T	A	N	G	S	T	R	O	M	E	T	A	B	R	E	G
A	I	E	P	F	A	A	E	H	P	H	O	E	H	T	R	A	I	H	N	A	A	N	H	A
S	L	T	H	R	T	B	U	T	H	L	H	O	H	O	A	G	A	I	Y	N	G	O	I	N
H	L	E	N	E	I	B	A	N	I	K	M	U	T	H	U	R	E	A	C	B	L	Y	N	M
T	U	E	X	I	S	I	T	G	I	A	M	H	G	A	H	C	K	I	H	D	A	C	A	O
I	S	J	I	P	N	T	H	N	S	B	Y	F	B	R	R	R	S	Y	E	B	B	Z	M	J
F	M	S	F	Q	O	T	E	H	E	P	Z	I	B	A	H	P	Y	N	C	H	E	O	N	Y
F	E	D	U	N	L	R	Y	R	O	S	S	A	W	B	H	F	C	O	E	D	N	L	T	L
I	P	E	Y	Y	T	I	T	S	P	W	R	F	S	E	Y	A	Y	X	L	M	J	S	H	T
R	E	V	T	N	Y	R	R	N	O	R	O	A	L	A	U	T	N	H	E	A	Y	G	I	S
G	E	O	R	M	O	M	A	S	O	R	Y	A	L	L	N	D	H	I	D	O	C	B	A	E
E	N	L	H	O	S	S	I	B	D	Y	N	N	F	F	H	T	N	A	A	E	O	H	D	M
D	G	E	M	T	S	A	R	C	Y	A	S	I	N	A	L	I	I	W	T	T	M	A	H	O
Y	M	B	E	E	A	I	O	C	L	L	E	T	E	E	C	O	M	A	A	T	P	I	F	R
L	E	W	O	L	R	A	M	P	I	L	I	H	P	K	R	A	W	T	G	S	S	A	L	F
C	T	G	A	C	I	G	N	N	D	A	S	L	A	T	K	A	T	H	M	O	O	O	C	N
Y	K	R	E	N	A	S	A	S	M	A	D	D	A	E	I	K	N	A	R	F	N	R	S	A
P	H	L	R	U	N	T	E	N	E	C	A	E	P	A	L	U	S	N	I	A	A	O	I	H
B	I	L	L	Y	B	U	D	D	T	M	I	R	G	L	I	P	Y	L	L	I	B	G	E	T
E	N	R	O	O	R	L	L	P	S	R	E	Y	W	A	S	M	O	T	C	Y	S	A	E	E
R	D	R	M	E	M	B	N	A	T	T	Y	B	U	M	P	P	O	I	T	O	I	O	T	T

ALEX PORTNOY	FRANKIE ADDAMS	LILY BART
ATTICUS FINCH	GEORGE BABBITT	NATTY BUMPPPO
AUGIE MARCH	GUS MCCRAE	NEDDY MERRILL
BELOVED	HAZEL MOTES	NICK ADAMS
BENJY COMPSON	HENRY FLEMING	PHILIP MARLOWE
BIGGER THOMAS	HEPZIBAH PYNCHON	RABBIT ANGSTROM
BILLY BUDD	HESTER PRYNNE	SAM SPADE
BILLY PILGRIM	HIAWATHA	SANTIAGO
BINX BOLLING	HOLDEN CAULFIELD	SCARLETT O'HARA
CAPTAIN AHAB	HOLLY GOLIGHTLY	STUDS LONIGAN
CAPTAIN QUEEG	HUCKLEBERRY FINN	SULA PEACE
CELIE	HUMBERT HUMBERT	T.S. GARP
CLYDE GRIFFITHS	IGNATIUS REILLY	TOM JOAD
DEAN MORIARTY	JAKE BARNES	TOM SAWYER
DOROTHY	JANIE CRAWFORD	UNCLE TOM
ELMER GANTRY	JAY GATSBY	WILLIE STARK
ETHAN FROME	JEETER LESTER	WOLF LARSEN
EUGENE GANT	JO MARCH	YOSSARIAN
FRANCIS PHELAN	LENNIE SMALL	