

Name _____ Period _____

The Pearl

Compare/Contrast the Novella and Movie

RL.9-10.7; RL.11-12.7

Directions: Find ten or more things that were different between the movie and the novella, ***The Pearl***. Explain each to show that you understood the clear differences between the two. You do not need to write in complete sentences. When you finish, answer the questions on the next page.

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The Novella vs. the Movie

Short Answer Questions

1. Why does the beggar ask Kino for money as he is leaving the doctor's house in town? Remember, he knows that Kino and Juana have no money. That is why the doctor just refused to help Coyotito. _____

2. How is the doctor's servant different in the movie? Compare his role in the novella to his role in the movie. Do you like him more/less in the movie or in the novella? Explain. _____

3. What types of wildlife are represented in the movie, other than the scorpion? Explain their significance or lack of significance. _____

4. Other than the "geologist" who is searching for Kino, how are the other trackers' characteristics represented? Explain. _____

5. Did you like the novella version of the story better or the movie version? Explain. _____
