

## “The Hand” by Yves Theriault

**Pre-reading Vocabulary: define these words using a dictionary.** (10 points)

1. crescendo

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2. menacing

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3. anguish

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4. unrequited

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5. inextricably

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**After Reading Questions: Be sure to answer in COMPLETE SENTENCES.**

1. What did Mourgan predict would happen to Geron? (2 points)

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2. Why do you think Marie disagreed with Mourgan? (2 points)

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3. What two things happened at once that caused Geron to strike Marie? (2 points)

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4. How do you think Geron felt after he struck Marie? Give evidence from the story to support your answer. (2 points)

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5. How did Geron change after this incident? (2 points)

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