

No One Would Tell

Name _____

Answer the following questions in complete sentences while viewing the case study....

1. Describe the initial impression Bobby has on Sara and her mother. Is it positive or negative?

2. Is Bobby being authentic or is he wearing a mask in the first few weeks of their relationship? Explain.

3. Identify the abuser, the target and the bystander(s) in this story.

4. Cite at least one example of each of the following types of abuse from the story: physical, digital, stalking or emotional/ verbal.

Examples of Abuse _____ Type of Abuse



5. Give an example of how Bobby tries to shift the blame for abuse onto Sara.

6. Identify at least three ways Bobby exhibits excessive control or jealousy over Sara.

7. Besides love, why do you think Sara stayed in the relationship?

8. Use an abuse scene from the movie that follows the pattern or cycle of dating abuse. Follow the example through the stages (don't mix & match events/ examples).

#1: Tension Building:

#2: Explosion:

#3: Honeymoon:



9. Sara tried to break up with Bobby once. What went “wrong” with her plan? What are 3 things she could have done differently that would have possibly changed the “outcome of the story”?

Refer to the article “[How to Help a Friend Who May be in an Abusive Relationship](#)” as you answer the next question.

10. Sara’s best friend in the movie eventually discovered the abuse. According to the article, what did her friend do/say that was “right”? Wrong? What would you have done?

11. When talking to an abuser, it is important to use I-statements. Write one I-statement that Sara could have said to Bobby that communicated her feelings during one of their arguments. Be sure to share the specific context of the argument that you are writing about so I know which one you are referring to.

