

Questions to "The Citizen"

Answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper. Use complete sentences and restate the question in your answer.

- 1) From where did Ivan and Anna come?
- 2) Why did Ivan want to leave for America? What was Ivan's dream?
- 3) (page 2, second to last paragraph) "A long tongue has given many a man a train journey that he never expected." What does this statement mean?
- 4) What was "the Terror"?
- 5) Why would Ivan and Anna think that there were no poor in America?
- 6) Why was the action of the policeman to stop traffic a "miracle" to Ivan and Anna?
- 7) What does this story say about America compared to many other places in the world?
- 8) On page 2, first paragraph of the second column, Anna whispered a word to Ivan. What do you think that word was? Why?