

## THE ENEMY

Q1) How did the gardener react when Dr. Sadao told him about the wounded American soldier?

Ans - The old gardener was a person of superstitions. He wanted that the white man should die because he believed that he had a fate of death.

Q2) What do you learn about Sadao's father from the story "The Enemy"?

Ans - Sadao's father was a conservative and strict disciplinarian. Sadao's education was his father's sole concern. He never allowed Sadao to marry someone other than their race.

Q3) Why was Dr. Sadao being kept in Japan and not sent abroad with the troops?

Ans - The Old general was not fit and was being treated medically all the time, hence he kept Dr. Sadao ~~with~~ in Japan to ensure ~~that~~ he doesn't face any problem.

Q4) Why was it risky for Dr. Sadao to give medical aid to the soldier?

Ans - It was risky because the soldier was American, and Americans ~~soldiers~~ were the <sup>war</sup> enemies of Japanese.

Q5) How did Yumi react when Hana told her to wash the soldier?

Ans - Hana asked the maid servant Yumi to wash the wounded dirty man with warm water. But she denied because she believed whites were their enemies and she had never washed a white man.

Q6) Why did the General not order immediate arrest of Dr. Sadao who had sheltered a whiteman?

Ans - The General was himself unfit and hence he wanted Dr. Sadao, a renowned surgeon whom he trusted, to be with him. Hence he didn't arrest him.

Q7) Why did the Servants leave Dr. Sadao's house?

Ans - The Servants on seeing a white man in their house got angry and afraid that they might be in trouble. Hence they decided to leave Dr. Sadao's house.