

Friendship Cryptograms — Set 32

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Every letter has been swapped for another letter. The same cipher letter always stands for the same letter, and no letter ever stands for itself. Write your answer in the blank under each letter. Answers are on the last page.

1. Clue: T = E

Medium · 87 letters

S N T P Q T H F X P R

W T D W I T P H T G I D A

S D A H P S N, O Z S A N T R

S N T F H A H P S N F G

D R X T M F R B I T B F S

O Z H R G I F M T P

X D R G Z Q F R U Y I P Q T.

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

2. Clue: X = E

Easy · 89 letters

S O S D J L F J F M R

X L D W O M B X O X F R S H X

K V X O V X F D V X

[H L O Z F X] V L D

T F M C X B O M V S R L

E S H B T L F X H O M F L

R X F Q S P X D D

D O X T R M O V X F .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

3. Clue: V = A

Easy · 91 letters

V M W L G N W A V L ,

L P F T W , G S V G N J B W T

G J S W V F S E A T W N C

G V N Y , V L K U E N N

T Z W V Y A J F W E L V

A E L P G W G S V L S W

U E N N T G V L K G J E L V

A J L G S .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

4. Clue: V = E

Easy · 91 letters

O H N V O P D N V V

R V C R A V C U V W T P P C

T P W V A D O Z X P C O A A

E O Z B T Z X Z C P P C

W T Z B T Z P C

S V A R A V W W Z V W W

Y V D C N V P S V R C U V N W

C D V Q T A .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A B C D E F G H I J K L M

N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

5. Clue: P = E

Medium · 93 letters

K P S F P T I S S I S E P

F B J J Y B D P I L S J C P

F Y T G X B G F Y S

Y F U P G Y F P T S X : K I R P

Y X T I S K I R P H E Y O E

B K S P J X H E P T Y S

B K S P J B S Y I T L Y T G X .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

6. Clue: Y = E

Medium · 94 letters

H B Y Z K B Q L

J T S S R W K Q Z C

W X L L Q T Z T Z J Y

K X N Y L W T L L Y L L Q T Z

T M K B Y B R V X Z V Q Z P ,

E Q N Y K B Y E T U Y T M

C T E P Q K F Y J T V Y L

Q Z L X K Q X F E Y .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

Solver's cheat sheet

Most common letters	E T A O I N S H R D L U
Most common 1-letter words	A I
Most common 2-letter words	OF TO IN IT IS BE AS AT SO WE HE BY OR ON DO IF ME MY UP AN GO NO US AM
Most common 3-letter words	THE AND FOR ARE BUT NOT YOU ALL ANY CAN HER WAS ONE OUR OUT DAY GET HAS HIM HIS HOW MAN NEW NOW OLD SEE TWO WAY WHO BOY DID ITS LET PUT SAY SHE TOO USE
Common double letters	LL EE SS OO TT FF RR NN PP CC
Common word endings	-ING -ION -ENT -TION -LY -ED -ER -EST
After an apostrophe	T (don't) S (it's) RE (we're) VE (I've) LL (we'll) D (I'd)

Answer key

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1. "The American people are slow to wrath, but when their wrath is once kindled it burns like a consuming flame."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1901, *First Annual Message to Congress*

Cipher key: A=W B=D C=J D=O E=V F=I G=S H=R I=L J=Z K=X L=Q M=K N=H O=B P=A Q=M R=N S=T T=E
U=G V=Y W=P X=C Y=F Z=U

2. "It is far from easy to determine whether she [Nature] has proved to him a kind parent or a merciless stepmother."

— Pliny the Elder, 77, *Natural History (Naturalis Historia)*, Book VII. Sect. 1 (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

Cipher key: A=Q B=D C=V D=S E=K F=R G=Z H=N I=J J=F K=W L=A M=O N=G O=T P=L Q=C R=M S=I T=P
U=B V=H W=Y X=E Y=X Z=U

3. "A gentleman, nurse, that loves to hear himself talk, and will speak more in a minute than he will stand to in a month."

— William Shakespeare, 1595, *Romeo and Juliet*, Act II. Sc. 4 (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

Cipher key: A=M B=V C=F D=J E=I F=R G=T H=X I=Q J=O K=D L=N M=G N=L O=Z P=U Q=Y R=C S=H T=S
U=W V=A W=E X=B Y=K Z=P

4. "A great free people owes it to itself and to all mankind not to sink into helplessness before the powers of evil."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1904, *Fourth Annual Message to Congress*

Cipher key: A=L B=K C=O D=F E=M F=C G=X H=G I=Y J=Z K=Q L=U M=J N=R O=A P=T Q=V R=P S=H T=I
U=W V=E W=S X=D Y=B Z=N

5. "Let me not to the marriage of true minds Admit impediments: love is not love which alters when it alteration finds."

— William Shakespeare, 1609, *Sonnets, CXVI* (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

Cipher key: A=Z B=A C=U D=G E=H F=M G=D H=W I=O J=R K=L L=F M=B N=Q O=C P=E Q=Y R=V S=T T=N
U=P V=K W=J X=S Y=I Z=X

6. "When this corrupting passion once takes possession of the human mind, like the love of gold it becomes insatiable."

— *William Henry Harrison, 1841, Inaugural Address*

Cipher key: A=Y B=H C=G D=J E=L F=B G=Q H=W I=Z J=C K=T L=S M=F N=K O=X P=D Q=I R=U S=R T=O
U=V V=M W=P X=A Y=E Z=N