

Truth Cryptograms — Set 11

6 puzzles · Large print · answers on the last page

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

Expert · 57 letters

I J T L Y C P R H Q T K P

U T S Y R U T D I J K I Z T M

D J G Y P V C T I U K O K M V

P R T K M V Z K D D K H U 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: D = E

Medium · 57 letters

Q F P H K D W P Y X X

Z S S D K W T D K N Z H Q P E

F Q O T H G F Q D S S Z K P W

T F A D G H X P Y C X Y D O

Y P .

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: F = A

Easy · 58 letters

F K F R N F Y Y F S L O U Y

F K P L K G Y Q R F K

Y G K Q Q L X U G

F N O L F S M L O Q P G

E L R R L K V G F X Q P .

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: Z = S

Hard · 58 letters

R A J R G O Z Q Z

O T H L Z Z O V X W R L V W

Z L O X W Y V D Q C D

L J R N Q A Y R L J E G Q Z

R G W Z J C V W 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

5. Clue: D = E

Expert · 58 letters

K X H D A T J D S I A S M D

U P T I K I , R P S Q P

D J D X E L T Z E K C A M I

C L T H K C V Z O D R

P C J D I D D V .

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: N = E

Expert · 59 letters

E L N E O D N B Z A E H M N
U N J N S F N U S R E H
E L S G P H G N R N V K
Y H O N P G H B S G X E L Z G
H E L N O R .

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)

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Answer key

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1. "The public weal requires that men should betray and lie and massacre."

— Michel de Montaigne, 1588, *Essays, Book III, Chap. I. Of Profit and Honesty* (in Bartlett's Familiar Quotations, 9th ed., 1891)

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

2. "Nature still offers her bounty and human efforts have multiplied it."

— Franklin D. Roosevelt, 1933, *First Inaugural Address*

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

3. "An ambassador is an honest man sent to lie abroad for the commonwealth."

— Sir Henry Wotton, 1651, *Reliquiae Wottonianae* (in Bartlett's Familiar Quotations, 9th ed., 1891)

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

4. "Truth is as impossible to be soiled by any outward touch as the sunbeam."

— John Milton, 1643, *The Doctrine and Discipline of Divorce* (in Bartlett's Familiar Quotations, 9th ed., 1891)

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

5. "True love is like ghosts, which everybody talks about and few have seen."

— Francois de La Rochefoucauld, 1665, *Maximes, 76* (in Bartlett's Familiar Quotations, 9th ed., 1891)

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

6. "The true way to be deceived is to think oneself more knowing than others."

— Francois de La Rochefoucauld, 1665, *Maximes, 127* (in Bartlett's Familiar Quotations, 9th ed., 1891)

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