

# EDWARD ALBEE'S THE ZOO STORY

## Character Descriptions

**PETER:** A man in his early forties, neither fat or gaunt, neither handsome nor homely. He wears tweeds, smokes a pipe, carries horn-rimmed glasses. Although he is moving into middle age, his dress and his manner would suggest a man younger.

**JERRY:** A man in his late thirties, not poorly dressed, but carelessly. What was once a Trim and lightly muscled body has begun to go fat; and while he is no longer handsome, it is evident that he once was. His fall from physical grace should not suggest debauchery; he has, to come closest to it, a great weariness.