What Really Happened?
Choose a side.
Guilty or Not Guilty
Prompt:

- You are Johnny Cade and you are talking to your attorney about what really happened the night of Bob's death. Replay the events in slow motion, so that your attorney knows the real story. He/she will need specific facts/details if he/she is going to defend you properly.

- Did Johnny:
  - Learn something about himself?
    - (man vs himself)
      - morality/ right vs wrong; personal doubts/questioning
  - Learn something about someone else?
    - (man vs man)
      - Greasers vs Socs
  - Learn something about life?
    - (man vs circumstances), (man vs society)
      - (unfair) distribution of power/wealth; abusive parents/ difficult home life
Visualization:

- You are Johnny Cade and you are telling your story to your attorney. Replay the events of that night.
  - You and Pony are at the park. It’s fall, 2:30 in the morning and it’s below freezing.
  - Where are you in the park?
  - What kinds of sounds do you hear?
  - What kinds of smells are there?
  - Is it cold outside? What are you wearing? Imagine how your body is feeling with the cold?
  - You see the blue Mustang. Describe it.
  - You see 5 Socs get out of the car. Look at them. What are they wearing? What do they look like? How are they walking? Are they noisy? Quiet? Describe them as they approach you.
  - How are you feeling? How is your body reacting?
  - They surround you.
  - Where is your blade?
  - Bob orders David to “give Pony a bath.” Imagine the scene. Is Pony fighting? Is there noise? How many Socs are handling Pony?
  - Why don’t they come after you? What are you doing? Where is Bob?
  - You realize you have to do something? What are you going to do?
  - How does your blade wind up in Bob Sheldon?
  - Does he attack you?
  - Were you fighting back?
  - Did you see an opportunity to get back at him for what he did to you 4 months ago?
  - Did he even see you coming?
  - Where did you stab him? What was his reaction?
  - Did he say anything?
  - What did he look like?
  - What prompted the others to run away?
  - What did you do next?
What Really Happened?
I (Johnny) killed Bob out of ______

Setting
Fall
2:30 am
Park
Below 32 degrees
Tulsa, OK

Sights
Sounds
Tastes
Touch/Feels
Smells