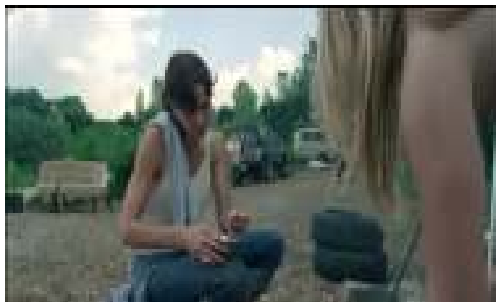




Based on the comic book series written by Robert Kirkman, this gritty drama portrays life in the weeks and months following a zombie apocalypse. Led by police officer Rick Grimes, his family and a group of other survivors find themselves constantly on the move in search of a safe and secure home. But the pressure each day to stay alive sends many in the group to the deepest depths of human cruelty, and Rick discovers that the overwhelming fear of the survivors can be more deadly than the zombies walking among them.

Season 1 Episode 2: "Guts"



Survival Camp

Lori and Amy sort out mushrooms that they have collected.

Lori: Any luck?

Amy: How do we tell if they're *poison*?

Lori: Uh, there's only one sure way I know of.

Amy: Ask Shane when he gets back?

Lori: Yeah, you've got it. Thank you.

(She gets up.)

Lori: Dale, I'm heading out.

Sweetheart, I want you to stay where Dale can see you, okay?

Carl: Yes, mom.

Dale: You too. Don't *wander* too far. Stay within shouting *distance*. And if you see anything, *holler*. I'll come running.

Lori: Yes, mom.

(She goes into the woods to pick some more food for the camp.)



Vocabulary

1. **poison** [poi-zuh n] *noun*

- a substance with an inherent property that tends to destroy life or impair health

Sample:

*For many centuries, South Americans had killed their victims with **poison** arrows that paralyzed muscles.*

2. **holler** [hol-er] *verb (used without object)*

- to cry aloud; shout; yell

Sample:

*Quit **hollering** into the phone.*

3. **camp** [kamp] *noun*

- a place where an army or other group of persons or an individual is lodged in a tent or tents or other temporary means of shelter

Sample:

*Students head out from dorms to become interns, caddies, and **camp** counselors.*

4. **wander** [won-der] *verb (used without object)*

- to ramble without a definite purpose or objective; roam, rove, or stray

Sample:

*Before proceeding to the next paragraph, let your mind **wander** wherever it wants to go.*

5. **distance** [dis-tuh ns] *noun*

- the extent or amount of space between two things, points, lines, etc.

Sample:

*The researchers identified a range of physical traits that suggest human ancestors evolved as **distance** runners.*

Discussion Questions

1. Is there a difference between honesty and truthfulness?
2. At what times do you appreciate people being honest with you?
3. How do you feel when you have been dishonest with someone?
4. How can you tell when someone is not telling you the whole truth?
5. How do you know when to trust someone?