##### **Act Three Activity - Advice for Romeo**

**Imagine that Romeo wrote to a national advice columnist to find some answers to his “unsolvable" problems. His letter might read something like this…**

Dear Abby,

Having read many of your letters to people with problems, I am encouraged to ask for your help. My problem might be a little different and a little more serious than those you are used to.

Recently I met this girl at a party. I immediately fell in love with her. But the problem is that our families don't get along very well. Our parents would never have considered letting us marry each other. The only solution was to marry secretly, which we did.

But to complicate my problem, the other day in a street fight, I killed her cousin. Now I have been banished from the city. My wife is still staying with her parents inside the city. Thus, I don't know if I’ll get to see her very much. I’m going to sneak over to see her tonight, but that isn't enough. I’ve got to do something in a hurry. I am lonely and desperate.

What should I do? I'm afraid what might happen if either of our parents ever found out we were married.

I've got to be with her. I am willing to try almost anything. Is there a solution?

Please help me.

Romeo

1. **As the advice columnist, give Romeo the advice you think would solve his problems. Your advice should be at least two paragraphs in length and address all of his problems.**
2. **Next, compose a letter to “Dear Abby” from either Juliet OR the Nurse, identifying their problem(s) and asking for advice from their perspective…**