***The Outsiders* Ch. 11-12 Name:**

**Directions**: Answer the following questions in complete sentences.

1. Why does Two-Bit look relieved when Ponyboy starts picking up glass from a broken bottle? (pg 171-172)
2. Seeing both Johnny and Dally die is affecting Ponyboy in several different ways. Name at least one very **specific** way their deaths are affecting Ponyboy.
3. Explain how Soda ultimately helps to bring Ponyboy and Darry together in Chapter 12.

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1. What is Ponyboy’s theme (essay) for English going to be about? How do you know?
2. Remember that at the end of the book, Ponyboy finally decides to write his theme (essay) for English. Why do you think Johnny’s letter motivated him to finally start writing?
3. Did any of the conflicts in this book lead to change for the characters? Explain your thinking.