

? A Comparison Between Severus Snape and Lord Voldemort**?**

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How much do you know about Severus Snape or Lord Voldemort? They are characters from Harry Potter by J.K. Rowling. These characters have many similarities and differences such as appearance, personality, actions, motives and their past including being at Hogwarts.

Severus' appearance is that he has greasy black hair. Snape always has a smirking mouth whenever a student from Gryffindor messes up and especially when he gives out detention to Harry. He has a pointy, crooked nose that is always in other people's business and he has black eyes. Voldemort has evil red eyes that frighten almost anyone. Two slits for a nose, a pale face, and an evil smile. His favorite curses are Avada Kedavera which is a killing curse and Curcio a torturing spell. The two similarities they have are that they both have an evil, smirking smile and they both have eyes that could frighten a lot of people. Their differences are that Snape has black hair and Voldemort has no hair and Voldemort does not have a long crooked nose.

Severus Snape's personality is that he is unfair because he loves giving out punishments for no reason most of the time. He is loyal to Lily (Harry's mom), he is

cunning, and very determined. He is known as a killer for killing Dumbledore. Lord Voldemort is very vicious, and he is a killer. He is also cunning. They are both similar because both have killed at least one person and they used to be members of Slytherin. They are different because only Voldemort tortures people and Snape is loyal to the people he knows best.

Snape's actions at Hogwarts were good and bad. In Harry's first year he saved him from Quirrell (a professor) who tried to knock him off his broom in a Quidditch match which was good. He killed Professor Dumbledore in Harry's 6th year, and he participated in The Order of the Phoenix. Voldemort killed Lily and James Potter and many other people. He also tortured the Longbottom's. They are similar because they have both killed a person. They both have done a good deed when they were kids. Voldemort brought flowers to a woman and Snape saved James Potter. They are different because Snape saved a person more than once and Voldemort did not participate in The Order of the Phoenix.

Snape's motives of killing Dumbledore was because Dumbledore asked him to do it. He also is protecting Harry because he loves his mother Lily. Lord Voldemort kills and tortures people because he might like people being afraid of him and having a lot of power in his hands. They are similar because they like the idea of having power and being strong. They are different

because Snape only killed Dumbledore because he asked him too but Voldemort kills people because he is cruel.

Snape's past is slightly rough. His parents fought all the time when he was a kid. He was in love with Lily and he rode the Hogwarts Express with her. He was also being bullied by James, Lupin, Sirius, and Peter Pettigrew. Snape once in a while did tricks on them. Voldemort used to be called Tom Riddle and he stole things from other kids. When Hagrid was in Hogwarts and taking care of Agarog the spider Tom blew his cover and got him expelled. They are both simaler because they did at least one thing wrong at Hogwarts and they both were in the Slytherin house. They are different because Snape loved someone and Voldemort didn't and Voldemort got someone expelled!

This is how these two characters are simaler and different. They are the same in some ways and different in others. I really hope you liked this comparison!



Severus Snape



Lord Voldemort