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The World According to Garp, 1982 – Characters

T.S. Garp

The protagonist and an aspiring writer.

Jenny Fields

Garp's mother, a fiercely independent feminist.

Helen Holm Garp

Garp's wife, a university professor.

Duncan Grape

The eldest son of Garp and Helen.

Walt Garp

The youngest son of Garp and Helen.

Roberta Muldoon

A former football player who transitions to living as a woman.

Ellen James

A young girl who was brutally raped and had her tongue cut out by her attackers.

Pooh Percy

A childhood acquaintance of Garp.