

## Miller, Arthur: 1915–2005

### Death of a Salesman, 1949 – Characters

**Willy Loman:** The protagonist, a weary, aging salesman in his 60s who's struggling with failure, delusion, and an obsession with being "well-liked."

**Linda Loman:** Willy's loyal, patient wife.

**Biff Loman:** Willy's eldest son, 34.

**Happy Loman:** Willy's younger son, 32.

**Charley:** Willy's neighbor and only real friend.

**Bernard:** Charley's son.

**Uncle Ben:** Willy's older brother.

**Howard Wagner:** Willy's younger boss, a cold, modern businessman.

**The Woman:** A nameless figure from Willy's past.

**Miss Forsythe and Letta:** Two women Happy flirts with at a restaurant.