

Circle Mirror Transformation
Character Descriptions

Marty - Female, 55

Co-Executive Director of the community center and teacher of the class. Exceedingly creative and believes in the power of theatre to unveil deeper truths. Married to James, stepmother to his 23-year-old daughter Erin - Marty and Erin are close.

James - Male, 60

Married to Marty, his second marriage. His first wife was an alcoholic and alcoholism runs in his family. He has a 23-year-old daughter Erin, with whom he is not close (but he would like to be).

Schultz - Male, 45

Recently divorced. Works as a carpenter and is quietly creative. His mother died when he was a child. Enrolled in the class to rediscover himself and find companionship.

Theresa - Female, 35

Former professional actor who lived in New York City. Now studying for a certificate in acupressure, grew up in a small town in New Hampshire. Moved to be closer to her aging parents, became disillusioned with NYC and with her goal of making a difference through theatre. Love to "hoop" (hula hoop).

Lauren - Female, 16

Rising junior in high school, has a tumultuous home life. She wants to be an actress - signed up for the class so she would have a better chance at being cast as Maria in the fall production of *West Side Story*. Quiet, but very perceptive.