

Selected vocabulary for the filmed play shown in **bold**.

Segment 1: Texas Republic Debate-1849

1. Attention! Order! As President of the **Texas Republic**,
2. I expect silence among you **senators and representatives**.
3. You cannot adjourn this **legislative** hearing without
4. first hearing about our **deceased** friend, Erastus "Deaf" Smith.
5. Yes, the same old scout from my army. A thousand **pardons, my colleagues!**
6. I am still in **mourning!** Why?
7. From the first shot of our **glorious Revolution**
8. to the **victorious Battle of San Jacinto**,
9. Deaf Smith was always my stay in my **darkest hour!** Therefore, my friends,
10. I ask you to pay attention to a **fellow scout and spy**
11. Since he is **now resting in peace in an unmarked grave**.
12. I stand here on **his behalf** as well as
13. to share with you a **dilemma** of a man
14. who first sought **revenge** then changed his mind.
15. not because he was a true **Texian**,
16. For those of you who are not familiar with his **incredible exploits**,
17. let me begin with the **Siege** of Bexar of the Battle of Old San Antonio
18. where Mrs. Smith danced in the **plaza**. Yes, it all began with music.

Segment 2: Old San Antonio Plaza-Fall 1835

1. I need only say **ALTO** once.
2. May I introduce your **military governor**, General Cos.

3. My humble apologies for **interrupting** your last dance
4. on this beautiful but **hopeless plaza**.
5. General Santa Anna has **instructed** me to take your town and **declare martial law**.
6. My **presence is a consequence of your rebellious behavior**.
7. Either you need a **thrashing** or you need you need be **banished**
8. from Texas forever! And before we **disperse** this **unlawful assembly**,
9. I must know the **whereabouts** of El Sordo! Yes, the deaf one!
10. I've never heard of him, General Cos. El Sordo does not **strike a bell with me**.
11. He can be a **valuable guide** for the Texas Army.
12. He is proud of his **Mexican citizenship**.
13. He's made it clear he would **take no sides**.
14. **Minds his own affairs**. No reason to hate him.
15. Deaf Smith is **being groomed as the eyes of the Texian Army!**
16. My husband will **not tolerate your imaginary animosity**.
17. Erastus shall find it rather **flattering**
18. Money will not buy my **loyalty**. I shall never **betray** my husband.
19. You are the **creator of your own fear**
20. Any further insults? You are all a **hopeless lot**.
21. **confiscation of the property** of Deaf Smith, El Sordo!
22. What happened to you? What wrong? I tested General Cos and **his intentions**.
23. They struck him with a rifle for standing by **your innocence**.
24. Because of that **ridiculous** poster? I've done nothing wrong!
25. I'm **innocent!** Why does he want my head?

26. His spies are wrong! I just told General Austin not to **count on me**.
27. They **scattered** the horses! Cattle is scattering!
28. You are adding **kindling to the fire**. It is not good.
29. Remember, everywhere you go, I **go with you in spirit**.
30. Take with you what I said. **Revenge** does not belong to you.

Segment 3: Texian Camp-Spring 1836

1. The Provisional Government of Texas has **authorized** me
2. It was not easy to **convince** them of your ability.
3. The enemy has demanded surrender. I call on you in the name of **liberty**,
4. of **patriotism** and everything dear to America character to come to our aid.
5. If this call is **neglected**, I am determined to die like a soldier
6. Have you sent **reinforcements**, sir?
7. Go check and find out. **Godspeed**, my friends.

Segment 4: Tragedy of the Alamo-March 6, 1836

1. If all 200 at the garrison are already dead, then my **revenge is manifold!**
2. even after you **perform your evil deed**. Please, I speak from the heart

Segment 5: Tale of Two Camps-Spring 1836

1. But the time will come when the **tide shifts in our favor**.
2. We are here on our **home ground**. We are proud. We can win!
3. I believe that, too! One **decisive victory** will give us back our freedom,
4. our land, and our happiness. Beyond that, victory is the **preservation**

5. Once we achieve **independence**, the killing stops.
6. In the midst of gunfire, the sound of **whizzing bullets** never bothers me,
7. Well, here's a toast to a very brave **courier!** Tell me, amigos, do you fight for hate?
8. I was **drafted**. At least I'm allowed to travel.
9. **Nothing personal** against Texians or Americans.
10. I'm in it for adventure. The thrill of being a courier is better than being a **sloppy** soldier. Couriers are cowards!

Segment 6: Battle of San Jacinto-April 21, 1836

1. Hello! -Here's the **dispatch** we found.
2. No one gets out. No **reinforcements** for Santa Anna and no escape for anyone.
3. A **fight to the death?** Yes!
4. **Your obsession is over**, so is the war.
5. and protect the **border** of freed Texas?
6. In return, you get **pension**, land, arms and horses.

Segment 7: Texas Republic Votes-1849

1. An unmarked grave is an **unforgivable disgrace**.
2. The **motion carries**.
3. Our meeting now **adjourns**.

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