

Spelling list: Characters in Girlfriend in a Coma

Girlfriend in a Coma by Douglas Coupland explores the lives of a group of friends whose worlds are disrupted when one of them, Karen, falls into a coma. She wakes 17 years later with a vision of a bleak future, forcing them to confront their choices and search for meaning in an increasingly uncertain world.

Karen	Karen falls into a coma for seventeen years.
Richard	Richard , Karen's boyfriend and the father of her child, struggles with addiction while waiting for her to possibly wake up.
Wendy	Wendy , the smart one, becomes a doctor.
Linus	After university, Linus travels the world in attempt to find himself.
Pamela	Pamela , a supermodel, associates with the rich and famous but suffers from addiction.
Ham	Hamilton is the eccentric member of the group.
Megan	Megan is Karen and Richard's daughter and is born during Karen's coma.
Jared	Jared died before the novel begins and now exists as a ghost.