

Honors Literature and Short Stories

Week 18

Shakespeare

Continue reading and then writing about Shakespeare's life and times.

Many scholars have done extensive research on the works of Shakespeare and have argued that William Shakespeare was not the author of the works attributed to him. Read the different arguments at:

<http://absoluteshakespeare.com/trivia/authorship/authorship.htm>

Assignments

1. After reading the arguments for and against the authorship of Shakespeare's works, write at least two paragraphs presenting your conclusions. Support your conclusion with specific points made in the arguments you have read (and any others that you may find). You must present this clearly and strongly, with solid support.
Due week 19 75 points
2. **Weekly Shorts: 5 points**
3. **Journal:** Continue reading Romeo and Juliet. Read Acts 3 and 4.. Use your journal to clarify any words or phrases that are unclear. In addition, compare the traits of the different characters and explain how they develop. **10 points**