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Through the eyes of William Shakesphere understand how he builds the expense in this dramatic story. In the midst of an up and coming war: Norway and Scotland face off in a bloodbath with pettiness and grave endangering lies. See through the eyes of betrayal occurring in Scotland: Macbeth finds the crown seeking his great name, but through prophecies his curiosity builds leading him and Lady Macbeth into their own worst doing, and becoming tyrants of Scotland. At the journey of Macbeth and his trustee Banquo, and there lays three sisters of evil chanting synchronized "All Hail Macbeth", "All hail Thane of Cawdor", and "All Hail to King". This builds curiosity and confusion in the noble Macbeth: this is because Macbeth isn't the King or the Thane of Cawdor. Through curiosity, greed, and ambition. A darkness falls and rains terror over the people of Scotland from a mysterious death of a highness. On the hill occuring after Macbeth was told his prophecies lays him at a nearby camp, and approaching upon him is Ross and King Duncan: they preach that the Thane of Cawdor has betrayed them and that he shall be executed for it, but even with the betrayal victory has still been captured by those of Norway. Now curious arouses again in the mighty Macbeth, "what he hath lost, noble Macbeth has won"(68) says Duncan. Curiosity continues to control the wise Macbeth after the witches tell him he will be Thane of Cawdor, but the Thane of Cawdor title lives on through the mouth of

Macbeth: the sisters vanish into the midst causing confusion, but soon after Macbeth and Banquo are approached by Ross and Angus. However with this information lies one last prophecy of Macbeth becoming king of Scotland, but the great mighty Duncan holds that role and has children heir to the throne. Macbeth realizes this, but immediately his greed starts to sprout "The prince of Cumberland, that is a step on which I must fall down or else overlap for in my way it lies" (49-51). Macbeth says this and this signals that he could be thinking about doing something grave danger: Lady Macbeth and Macbeth speak on the coming of Duncan into their home and they speak on being masters, but they know and understand foul play must be committed for these thoughts and things they speak of to become real. Macbeth's greed has grown stronger in a very short amount of time, and we see this when him and Lady Macbeth plan out their plan to murder Duncan; Macbeth doesn't want to kill Duncan himself because of how much honor and respect he has for Duncan, but the greed continues to influence his decisions. Macbeth and Lady Macbeth's plan is fully set out to slaughter the king and make the prophecy come true Macbeth and Lady Macbeth get Duncan's guards drunk and this leads to their downfall and their death, and now lays the unguarded Duncan sleeping: Macbeth draws his dagger and soon after the bell rings signifying the death of Duncan. Macbeth now realizing what he has done starts to hallucinate and heard Duncan's children crying, but they are actually asleep: Lady Macbeth begins to criticize Macbeth and believes that he is being weak in the mind, therefore Macbeth refuses to put the bloody daggers back causing Lady Macbeth to do it: Lady Macbeth is furious with Macbeth and says "the sleeping and dead are but as pictures" (52-53), but soon after knocking occurs and Macbeth believes it is for him and wishes for the oceans blood to wash his hands clean and undo what he has done: Lady Macbeth returns and shows Macbeth that their

hands are now the same and that she isn't affected by it. Despite foul play being committed and Macbeth and Lady Macbeth receiving their wishes; Macbeth's joy still doesn't seem fulfilled, but on his journey Macbeth approaches the liar of the witches; Macbeth frustration has built and tension has grown between him and the witches, but everything they prophesied has now become real. Macbeth demands to be told more than what he has been, but with what he demands he is told "the power of man, for none of woman born shall harm Macbeth" (88-89). This leads to Macbeth questioning what should he be afraid of if this is true, and the witches also tell Macbeth that he will not be vanquished until "birnam wood marches to Dunsinane hill" (102-103): Macbeth believes this will never happen and that the information he has been told has now satisfied him, but if the witches are deemed a lie a curse will fall upon them. In summary Macbeth has now been told another prophecy and this one being the most controversial, and this is because it implodes the over confidence in the heart and soul of Macbeth; the witches also believe that this is what leads to a man's downfall and whatever they have believed or deemed has became real. It is true that Lady Macbeth felt no sympathy for the killing of Duncan; Lady Macbeth begins sleepwalking and is now being observed closely by a doctor and a gentlewoman, so occurring during this Lady Macbeth starts to speak about the killing that her and Macbeth have committed; Lady Macbeths tells to herself that her hands will never be clean and that the mighty Banquo will stay buried. Therefore Lady Macbeth takes her own life and this deeply saddens Macbeth because unquestionably he believed they should've grown old together. Occuring Macbeth's guard has informed him of the trees moving, but Macbeth questions how could this be and why does he look so timid and weary in the face; Macbeth begins to feel anger and frustration build, but outside his castle lays thousands of soldiers with camouflage that

is birnam wood. Macduff has challenged the mighty tyrant after the downfall of young Sidward, but Macduff erases the ambition in the heart of Macbeth by saying "tell thee Macduff is from his mother's womb ultimately ripped" (44-45), and this meaning he was not born of woman. In conclusion Macduff kills Macbeth and Malcolm now becomes the rightful king of Scotland.