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HW 14

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| "Oedipus.: Child! You're here, both of you in the flesh? Antigone: Yes! His strong arms have saved us - Theseus, and his loyal comrades. Oedipus: Closer, children, come to your father! Let me embrace you..." (1248-1252).  "Oedipus: Ask no more.  Theseus: About what? Tell me. Oedipus:Well I know, I can hear it in your words - I know who that suppliant is. Theseus: Who in the world? And why should I have any objection to him?" (1326-1330) | I would have Oedipus and Antigone have tears flowing throughout this scene because they were elated to see each other again after the first time. I also imagine that Oedipus has his arms in a wide open T position to get ready to hug his daughter. I also imagine Theseus is standing nearby witnessing this reunion since he was fulfilling his promise to Oedipus.  For this scene, I would cast Morgan Freeman as Oedipus. In the play, Oedipus has a drawn out way of speaking full of fluff. I feel that Morgan Freeman's buttery voice would fir that role. Theseus should also be played by the same person who played Leonidas in the movie with the Spartans. Theseus commands authority and has the body of a hero, which that actor would also have. |