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1 | 'in class' close reading.

prompt:

Instructions: Select one of the following citations from Roy's _The God of Small Things_ for your in-

- Understanding Literature
- Close Reading

Rubric Categories:

- Structure & Mechanics
- Writer's Voice

Please create your paragraph in a Google Doc and submit it to Canvas at the end of class. You will be g

- 1) She lay in it in her yellow Crimplene bell-bottoms with her hair in a ribbon and her Made-in-England
- 2) Chacko said:
- You don't _go_ to Oxford. You _read_ at Oxford.

And

After _reading_ at Oxford, you _come down._

"Down to earth, d'you mean?" Ammu would ask. "_That_ you definitely do. Like your famous airplanes."

Ammu said that the sad but entirely predictable fate of Chacko's airplanes was an impartial measure o

- 3) A few months later Miss Mitten was killed by a milk van in Hobart, across the road from a cricket ov
- 4) When he finished, Estha moved the cans to the basin in front of the mirror. He washed his hands and

example:

It _was_ Velutha.

That much Rahel was sure of. She'd seen him. He'd seen her. She'd have known him anywhere, any time.

A lucky leaf that wasn't lucky enough. (70)

This passage from _The God of Small Things_ by Arundhati Roy occurs in the immediate context of Rahel's

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And

b) After reading at Oxford, you come down.

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go to vs read at
come down
d'you mean -> not elitest talk
read -> reading aloud voice

a) and b) -> lecturer, and thus, others are student reductionistic, like marxist?

ABOVE in hierarchy ASPIRATION

come down -> raises oxford up, come down from heaven. place your are in (ayemenem) is "down" ^ hiarchy

airplane kits -> promise that relies on work, failure falls on the maker false promise, never learns like oxford promise, like capitalist promise, like marxist promise?

kits are a mock up, not the real thing extent of his abilities

Ammu defeats without elitist talk or ideals

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