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### In your own words, how did Lao Tzu view the role of the leader?

Similar to a servant-leader. Lao thinks leaders are at best when nobody notices them.

### What was the leader’s relationship with the group according to Lao Tzu?

The leader should honor the group, not the other way around. Leaders should not be looking for admiration.

### To Lao Tzu, is the leader’s role with the group a passive or active one?

Passive. See #58 “The less a leader does and says, the happier his people.”

### How does Lao Tzu’s Tao set the groundwork for the concept of Servant Leadership?

Lao thinks that the leader should put the group’s priorities above his own. Leaders should look to remove blocks so that the group can accomplish their goals.

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### Look for examples of Sinclair’s use of mechanical language or the language of business and productivity when talking about people.

…they had been serving as cogs in the great packing machine, and now was the time for the renovating of it, and the replacing of damaged parts.

…a little nearer to the time when it would be their turn to be shaken from the tree.

### The story is about the workers, not the business owners, managers or leaders; but from the few places they are mentioned and from the experiences of the workers in the passage, what do you learn about the leadership in the packing house?

It’s extremely transactional. The business owners do not care about the workers because there are thousands more lined up outside.