**SCLA 102: Transformative Texts: Critical Thinking & Communication II: Modern World**

**Your Most Transformative Text (375-500 words)**

We’ve read several books and poems this semester and watched a few speeches. Reflect on these texts while considering the following questions to help jump-start your thinking and writing:

* Which of these texts has been the most transformative for you? Why? (You may choose more than one.)
* How has it transformed you?
* Did it cause you to think or feel differently?
* Did it help you to discover new things about yourself?
* Has it inspired you to do or try something new?
* Will you take a different path or start a new journey because of it?
* Would you recommend the text(s) to a friend?

You’re not expected to answer all these questions. You may choose to tackle a few of them or entirely different ones. What’s most important is that you make a compelling argument for why you chose the text(s) you did. If you didn’t find any of the texts to be transformative, then you must still explain why. Ultimately, you should demonstrate a thorough understanding of the text(s) and develop a strong argument for your selection(s).

*Note: Single-space your essay, and include the word count (body copy only) after the last sentence of your assignment (e.g., Word Count: 450). If you have questions, please don’t hesitate to ask me. I’m here to help you learn and succeed!*

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