

Thread for Pearls: A Characterization Study

Author Dr. Lauren Speeth is the agent of her story, but she is telling it principally through voice of her protagonist, Fiona, plus key characters. Her purpose, in portraying the events through the eyes and experiences of her characters is to show you the story rather than tell it.

Assignment: Study and reflect upon the three-dimensional nature of the characters listed below. **In a response of 100 words each**, write a descriptive detail for each one, which characterizes each in your perspective. The last question invites you to find the features of one or more characters with which you identify most.

I. Characters:

1. Fiona

2. Wolf

3. Peggy

4. Karen

5. Mary

6. Hanna

7. Gram

II. Alignment

Describe, in detail, using 150 words, the character(s) with whom you align (connect) most, and why.