

1 Narrators, and why point of view limits – Part 2 — Answers

Answers

Work through these after you have tried the questions yourself.

2.1 perspective is how a teller sees their circumstances; point of view is the position from which events are related.

2.2 what a narrator can and cannot provide, based on their involvement and intimacy with the events and characters.

2.3 a first-person narrator is involved in the events; a third-person narrator observes from outside.

2.4 from observational to all-knowing.

2.5 it turns a literary choice into a biographical claim that nothing in the text supports.

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