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MT# 6 Rough Notes - The Laundry Basket

Author: Lee Marade

Setting (place, city, year): 1990s(?), Vancouver

Characters:

Narrator - writer

Grant - abusive man, ex-husband

children, judge, Joe

Main plot points:

• _____

• _____

Major themes: _____

Quotes and passages:

Maracle wrote: "You want to burn this do you? You want to burn my life" (p. 228) when her husband burned the story in the tub. This shows how her story and her life are one

My reflections:

Language comes up a lot

The past Vancouver is part of story - place is important

The narrator is conflicted about white people - they are a reality she must deal with and she does her best to understand them (?)

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MT #7 "Haida Gwaii" Rough Notes

Author: Thomas King

Between the lines:

What does the bird in the bag ~~symbol~~ symbolize?

Themes: Canada - First Nations (Power/Abuse)

Toxic Relationship / Escape

Characters:

Narrator, "the couple at the beach", Narrator

Symbols: Canada Goose, Eagle, Rose Spit, Prince Rupert,
stick Shift, Toronto, The Tide

Main plot points:

Quotes and passages:

~~King writes~~ King writes " _____ " (p. x).

This shows how: _____.

The narrator describes how Steven shouts "I'm an eagle!" (p. 72) just after Steven says "So this is where you were born" when they are on the beach in Haida Gwaii (p. 72). Steven adds "far out" and this comment shows _____.

The point King is making is _____.

_____. This connects to the theme by _____.



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MT#8 - Rough notes from "The Promise"

Author: Richard Van Camp

Theme: Friendship - Agape - Love

Main plot: _____

Quotes: According to the story

"_____ " (p. x).

This shows _____.

Later, they "_____ " and

"_____ " (p. x). This then

leads to _____ because _____.

Questions: How does Van Camp show youth and did he pull it off? Why? How?