**“The Painted Door” Monologue Assignment**

#### Overview

**The purpose of a monologue** is to reveal the character’s thoughts, motives, feelings, and problems to the audience by using one of the following **methods of development:**

* **Expressing an inner conflict**
* **Arguing both sides of an internal debate**
* **Describing how he/she views himself/herself**
* **Describing how he/she views the world**

#### Assignment

* You are to create an original dramatic monologue for ONE of the characters in “The Painted Door” to speak at a specific point in the story OR to speak as an epilogue after the story has concluded.
* Your monologue may be presented in front of the class or recorded via audio device. Your written monologue must also be handed in.
* Your intended audience is an interested adult and your peers.
* Your purpose is to reveal the character’s thoughts, motives, feelings, and problems by applying at least ONE of the methods of development mentioned (such as internal conflict or debate). Which figures of speech and what images you use are up to you, but they must suit the character.

Due Date: Tuesday, October 11th

Thoughts on issue:

Feelings on issue:

Character:

Issue to discuss: