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“The Cask of Amontillado” By Edgar Allan Poe-

Point of View and Reliable Narrator

Point of View Review

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| First-Person | Third-Person Limited  | Third-Person Omniscient  |
| The story is told only from the speaker’s point of view; the person is in the story; uses I, me, and my | The story is told from an outside viewer and only allows the reader to see one character’s thoughts/feelings. | The story is told from an outside viewer, but the reader is able to see multiple characters’ thoughts and feelings.  |

Explain the difference between third-personal limited and third-person omniscient point of view.

Reliable Narrator- have characteristics that allow the reader to find him/her to be trustworthy Ex. Ms. Horton had been teaching English for ten years.

Unreliable Narrator- has characteristics that allow the reader to find him/her not trustworthy or suspicious Ex. Ms. Gombos lost her car keys fifty times. She is now responsible for keeping track of the key to the school.

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| Textual Evidence | Explain the evidence. |
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Is the narrator in “The Cask of Amontillado” reliable or unreliable? Explain.