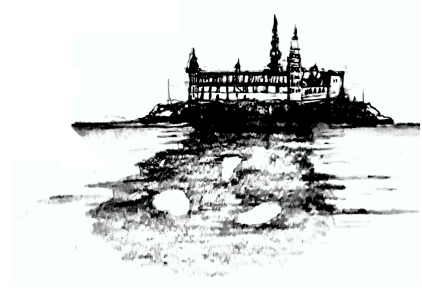


"THE READINESS IS ALL"

Hamlet



Quotes relating to symbolic objects (as used on the residential)

You might not use all of these - perhaps choosing the most appropriate for your class - alongside objects (or images of the objects)

SKULL

- "Alas poor Yorick! I knew him Horatio."
- "To be or not to be, that is the question."
- "The rest is silence."
- "Goodnight, sweet prince,
And flights of angels sing thee to thy rest!"

RAPIER (FENCING SWORD)

- "The readiness is all."
- "From this time forth,
My thoughts be bloody, or be nothing worth!"
- "The time is out of joint. O curséd spite!
That ever I was born to set it right."

GOBLET

- "Hamlet, this pearl is thine"
- "The queen carouses to thy fortune, Hamlet"
- "Hamlet, thou hast thy father much offended."
"Mother, you have my father much offended."

SNAKE

- "Something is rotten in the state of Denmark."
- "What a piece of work is a man!"
- "Oh my offence is rank, it smells to heaven"
- "Now might I do it pat"

CROWNS

- "A little more than kin and less than kind."
- "Good Hamlet, cast thy nighted colour off"
- "Our sometimes sister, and now our queen"
- "We fat all creatures else to feed us, and we fat ourselves for maggots"

HERBS (fresh rosemary is easily found)

- "There's rosemary. That's for remembrance. Pray you, love, remember."
- "There is pansies, that's for thoughts."
- "And will he not come again?
No, no, he is dead,
Go to thy deathbed.
He never will come again."

BOOKS

- "There is nothing either good or bad but thinking makes it so."
- "This above all: to thine own self be true"
- "T'is an unweeded garden that grows to seed."

MASKS

- "That one may smile and smile and be a villain."
- "The play's the thing
Wherein I'll catch the conscience of the king."
- "Foul deeds will rise:
though all earth overwhelm them to men's eyes"
- "I have that within that passeth show, these but the trappings and the suits of woe"

MIRROR

- "Thus conscience doth make cowards of us all."
- "I know not 'seems'."
- "Though this be madness, yet there is method in't."
- "to hold as 't were the mirror up to nature"