

Erwartungshorizont: Message of Gettysburg Address

The student identifies . . .

- that Lincoln evokes the principles of human equality as defined in the *Declaration of Independence*.
- Lincoln's appeal to create a unified nation without individual state rights.
- Lincoln's appeal to the survival of America's representative democracy (ll. 30-32: "government of the people, by the people, for the people").

language help: effects of stylistic devices

- to illustrate an idea
- to emphasize a point
- to underline an idea
- to point out a certain opinion
- to stress a thesis
- to support his view
- to express sth in a gentle manner
- to bring a message across to the audience
- xx is used to create a certain effect
- to produce a certain effect
- to stimulate the imagination of the audience/reader/listener
- to give the reader/listener a new perspective
- to provide the audience with a new perspective
- to create a picture in the listener's mind
- to push so to a certain opinion/conclusion
- to influence the reader/audience