

Irony Journals

Flannery O'Connor's Good Country People

What is the relationship between Mrs. Freeman and Mrs. Hopewell? to what extent are their names significant? What does the name change from Joy to Hulga suggest about Mrs. Hopewell's daughter?

Sylvia Plath's The Mirror

Can you point out some instances of irony in this poem? How do they affect your reading of the poem?

Please answer these prompts in at least 50 words. Be ready to share, at random, during the beginning of our discussion period for this short story. Points will be taken off your grade if you are not prepared. After our final journal entry is complete I will be collecting all of your journals in one document so please hold onto them.