

Instruction: Match the different types of plot to their correct definition.

VOYAGE & RETURN	RAGS TO RICHES	HERO'S JOURNEY	
OVERCOMING THE MONSTER	TRAGEDY	COMEDY	REBIRTH

	<i>This plot is a simple point A to point B and back to point A plot. The protagonist sets off on a journey, only to return to his or her starting point having gained wisdom and experience (and sometimes treasure too).</i>
	<i>The hero of a story must undergo two things: recognition and reversal of a situation. Something has to happen from the outside that inspires the hero in a way that he/she didn't realize before. Then he has to undertake a quest to solve the situation.</i>
	<i>Follows a character's transformation from bad to good. The character will frequently have a tragic past that informs their current negative view of life, however, a series of events will help them see the light.</i>
	<i>The protagonist is downtrodden, impoverished, or otherwise struggling, and through a series of events achieves success. This type of plot often features a happy ending.</i>
	<i>even though your characters have defects, their defects should never wind up being painful or destructive. Comic characters make it through unscathed.</i>
	<i>Otherwise known as the good versus evil plot, this type of story features a protagonist fighting an antagonist.</i>
	<i>In a _____, your main character should undergo a major change of fortune — almost always from good to bad, happy to sad. Tragic characters have to suffer.</i>

