

Vietnam war charlie cong, nicholas tomalin assignment

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Literary is the meaning of the title Charlie Congo is the ? Of South Vietnam.

2. Explain the situation or stage of the Vietnam War in 1966 as this text was written. More Vietnamese was killed. 1965 US combat battle troops in South Vietnam. Domino theory/effect. USA fretted for at hell Vietnam vile believe communistic. It's a civil war in Vietnam. North Vietnamese army - Hanoi with Viet Congo FAN - Saigon. 3. State in one or two line what the text is about -" at the surface. What is going on, so to speak?

About a journalist following a US general on a operation in South Vietnam in 1966. 4. Notice the tense (grammarians did) used in the text and consider the reasons for it. Present tense + dialogue. Present tense makes the reader feel he is part of the situation " get the picture" = being there. Dramatic effect. Dialogue: show, don't tell principle of characterizing the general through his own language. Credibility/authenticity. 5. Look carefully through the first four pages to collect information about the way General F.

Hollingsworth is described and characterized. I may help you to think of the " show, don't tell"-principle. Make sure you can document your observations. Face like movies. Not affected by killing - he actually likes it (no compassion) Medals, gallantry = war hero Swears a lot (esp... About Viet Congo: " push God damn Vs..... ") Texas (accent, sounds, feel) 6. What do you suspect is the message - or agenda - of the journalist/ narrator Nicholas Ottoman? Anti-war statement: innocent Vietnamese US general is cruel/cynical