

From The Interesting Narrative of the Life of Olaudah Equiano

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Sensory Details	
Hearing	
Sight	
Taste	
Smell	
Touch	

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3. In the excerpt from Olaudah Equiano's narrative, the sensory details that were the most compelling were . . .(list 2) I found this to be the case because . . .
(Explain what he experienced for each and how it would affect you.)
5-7 sentences minimum.

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Similarities

Story excerpt Olaudah Equiano	Video excerpt from <u>Roots</u>.
Captured at age 11	Kunta Kinte

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