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English

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1.1

When I first started reading  
Othello I said "Wow I'm not going  
to understand a lot of this".  
~~Shakespeare's~~ Shakespeare's language is still  
a mystery to me even after  
reading Romeo and Juliet.

In act I Scene I Rodarigo  
and Iago go to the house  
of Berbantio in the middle of  
the night. They wake him to tell  
Berbantio that his daughter is  
missing. Rodarigo is in love with  
Desdemona. Rodarigo told Berbantio  
that his daughter is with a black  
man. Berbantio is furious now  
and gets his people together  
~~and~~ to go on a man hunt to  
find the Moor.

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1.3

This scene was very confusing. At the start the council was talking about some war with turks or something. then when Bebanthio and friends walk in the subject changes immediately all of a sudden.

I did understand the part when Othello and Bebanthio tried to settle their problems. I just don't know what happened at the end. I think the council banished Othello or they sent him on some sort of mission. I noticed that whenever Othello is going Desdemona can't go along and that's when Othello grants Iago trust to stay with Desdemona.

In the end when everyone leaves except Iago and Roderigo, they talk. Roderigo wants to commit suicide after finding out that Othello and Desdemona were married. Iago persuades Roderigo not to kill himself, but to sell all his land and "fill your purse with money". I wonder what Iago has up his sleeve. Maybe wants Roderigo to take Desdemona to a far away place.

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2.1

I like this scene because there's a lot of hints as to what is going to happen later in the story. When Cassio oh so elegantly <sup>talked</sup> about Desdemona I knew Iago was going to use her. I think Iago is a smart guy. He thinks very fast. He develops his plan as life goes on. I believe that Cassio is too loyal to Othello for him to take his wife. I caught that when Iago was comparing Othello and Cassio he made Othello seem really ugly and made Cassio seem like a pretty boy. Iago is going to tell Rodolpho to tell Othello that both Cassio and Desdemona are in love with each other. Iago wants Cassio's Lieutenantcy so he is going to try to frame Cassio.

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R.3

AS the story gets closer  
the the and the better it gets.  
Iago finally about to get the  
Lutenancy he always wanted. Iago  
is smart and gets Cassio drunk.  
while Cassio is drunk he gets  
into a fight and loses his Lutenancy.  
~~Cassio~~ After that happens Cassio  
comes to his senses and realizes  
what he has done. Cassio then asks  
Iago what to do even tho Iago  
kicked him out. Iago is ~~sett~~  
using Cassio once again when  
he tells Cassio to speak  
with Desdemona to get his Lutenancy  
back. Iago, I really like him.  
He's really smart and does  
what needs to be done in  
order to achieve what he  
wants. He is a bit selfish  
though for I have not yet  
seen him do something for  
any one, but himself

