

Good morning everyone. It is my honour to have the opportunity to discuss the importance and the significance of introductions in the novel "We all fall down", written by Robert Cormier.

The novel begins ~~with~~ with the trashing incident.

Four trashers destroyed everything they touched at Jerome's family's home. Beside that, they also "pissed on the wall and shitted on the floor."

Robert Cormier uses ~~the~~ short sentences to quicken up the ~~pace~~ ~~pace~~ pace and long sentences to describe the massive damage they've ~~caused~~ caused.

~~The beginning of the~~

The trashing incident did not ~~do~~ just damage the house. It also changed three people's life for ever.

Jane Jerome is ~~the~~ shattered by the trashing.

She begins ~~to~~ ^{by} withdrawing from people and her family. "She ~~hold~~ aloof from people,



not letting anyone too close, leaning over awkwardly to kiss her mother and father for good night." Very often, she feels alone, not knowing who to turn for help, and has no idea ~~on~~ how to make things better. "She felt dead inside. Empty ~~like~~ vessel wanted to be filled. Filled with what? She didn't know". However, at the end of the play, Jane has the strength and determination to overcome the horrific moments of the past months. She regained ~~her life~~, the control of her life, where she realized the only way to accept the ~~problems she troubles~~ ~~the~~ ~~face~~ is to move on. This is shown at the very last scene where "she stepped on the escalator and slowly ascended," ~~not to~~

Buddy Walker, one of the trashers at the ~~beginning~~ ~~on the~~ ~~the~~ Jerome family's home, is unsettled and ^{he is facing} not knowing what to do with the problems. However, he deals the problems by hiding away from them. ~~Alcohol~~ Alcohol ~~p~~ allows him to forget



the ~~top~~ troubles at home and temporarily away from reality. "Buddy discovered a ~~way~~ marvelous method of booze, The way it soothed and stroked, make hazy the ~~harshness~~ harshness of things. This made him—almost—happy." At the end of the play, Buddy still unable to deal and overcome the troubles, this is when he is fallen down.

Harry Flower, on the other hand, enjoyed the happy moment he had at Jerome's house. He is intelligent and charismatic. He shows no remorse for his actions and ~~refer~~ refer much of his life is a game where he always come on top. "The Harry always drove slowly, love to frustrate the drivers behind him, when they attempt to pass Harry, he would speed up gradually until they realized he is being baited." Harry is an example of the young people who ^{has} grown up in the modern society. ^{a lot} Although his parents provides him, materially but not emotionally. as a consequence, Harry

shows no responsibility for his actions. Harry also enjoys manipulating others, ~~to whom he reminded~~ he reminded Buddy that "No matter what, you that night you enjoyed it." ~~which professed him~~

Hence, the introduction in the opening of the "We All Fall Down" ~~plot~~ is important here not just to further the plot. But also determine the nature of the characters in the play. Thank you very much!