Writing a Rhetorical Analysis

For the purposes of this assignment, your rhetorical essay should be five paragraphs, structured according to the following:

Introduction

 Title(s) (written correctly) of the text(s) you are using

 Author(s)’ name(s)

 Brief (one-two sentence) synopsis of the story

 THESIS – this is YOUR opinion on what the main idea, purpose, or theme of the text is

 Body Paragraphs – 3

 Each of these (3) should DIRECTLY SUPPORT the idea you stated in your thesis.

Provide evidence, detail, and explanations as needed to solidify your point on HOW these items support your thesis.

Conclusion

 Recap the important ideas from your paper – briefly

 Leave your audience with a call to action or some resolution.

 Solidify your thesis (main idea) with a culminating thought or natural end

* Include a quote from one of the stories (anywhere in paper)
* Write as if your reader has no knowledge of the account(s)(stories), so BE DETAILED AND DESCRIPTIVE
* Re READ your paper NUMEROUS times before submitting it on turnitin.com