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 **AN INCLUSIVE INTERROGATION OF SOLOMON .A. EDEBOR’S GOOD MORNING,**

 **SODOM.**

 **UNDERSCORING FIVE UNDERLYING THEMATIC THRUSTS IN THE PLAY**

1. BETRAYAL: This attribute could be related to the book in the case of keziah’s and demola’s friendship. Demola betrayed their friendship and took advantage of Keziah by making her come over to his house with an assignment as an excuse, then he drugs her and rapes her. This is a true act of betrayal.
2. LOVE: This attribute can also be seen in the book as it relates with Keziah and her parents. Keziah loved her parents so much and her parents equally loved her. They made sure she was comfortable, even after she gave birth to her child, they still provided a means for her to continue her education. This is a true act of love.
3. PEER PRESSURE: This was also portrayed in the book. The character demola was pressurized by his friends to get Keziah and rape her. It was also this friends that lead him to doing drugs and cultism.
4. VICTIMIZATION: This is one of the things that could be pointed out in the book. There were more than one characters that were victims to different things. characters like Keziah and stella were both victims of rape.
5. REDEMPTION: This can also be noted in the book. The character stella repented of her old ways after being wayward for years after she was raped. The character was formerly into the word of God but after she felt neglected, she stopped following his words and became wayward. But after a series of events, she decided to turn back to God.

 **DETAILED CHARACTER ANALYSIS OF ANY THREE CHARACTERS IN SOLOMON .A.**

 **EDEBOR’S GOOD MORNING,SODOM.**

1.DEMOLA:-Demola was a 200 level student of Mayflower University. He came from a wealthy family of Engineer Diran and Mrs Diran, he was a disciplined and intelligent young man until he succumbed to the negative influence of bad friends. lie was introduced to drugs and cultism which cost him his dear life during their operation.Demola was also persuaded by his friends to charm Keziah when she visited him at his place off he campus. Ile literally raped her and got her pregnant.

2. KEZIAH RICHARDS:-: Keziah Richards was the daughter of the characters Mr and Mrs Richards. She was a very studious and hard working when it came to her studies. She studied English in mayflower university. She was admired by the character demola, who was one of her course mates. But she knew he was a distraction, so she never gave in to him. After bad advices from her course mate to give the boy a chance , she finally let him be her friend. Keziah had no other intentions with him but demola had more in stock for her. One day Keziah goes over to the house of demola to get an assignment done, then demola drugged her and took advantage of he. When Keziah woke she found out what had happened and she ran out of his house to her hostel. Keziah’s roommate who was warry about her relationship with demola. She embraced her and told her it was all going to be well. Keziah continued on with her life. There was a cultist fight in the school, Keziah ran out immediately she got a call from her roommate, Keziah saw the dead body of demola on the ground, Keziah fainted. She was immediately taken to the hospital; her parents came to take her home. When she had recovered, her father revealed to her that she was nine weeks pregnant. Keziah fell into depression, because her father now disliked her and she couldn’t continue her education. When her family was to travel Keziah decided to poison herself but her father found her in time when he went back home to get a document. He took her to the hospital, soon her mother was at the hospital. She was taken care of, she and her unborn baby survived. Keziah and her family reunited after they returned from the hospital. Not long after, Keziah gives birth to a girl named “mouritha”. The family of demola soon visits her and the agreed to take full responsibilities of their dead son. Keziah’s father surprises her with a letter of admission to a new university with accommodation and some one to take care of her daughter while she was at school. Keziah thanks her parents for all the love and support they have given to her.

3. STELLA:- She is Keziah's roommate and the only good friend Keziah had. Stella stood by Kenah's said when she was going through tough times and advised with her own unlucky experience she had when she was just fourteen years old and how she was raped by four boys. She stopped believing in God and started following the wrong part till she then realized her mistakes and begged God for forgiveness, and converted into a pure and holy soul.

 **POINTS OF DIVERGENCE BETWEEN THE WRITTEN AND THE FILM VERSION.**

1. In the book in the eight movement when the cultists had their meeting, they were initiating some new members and Demola was one of them but in the movie in the cultist meeting scene Demola was already a cult member he was not just being initiated.
2. In the book, seventeenth movement was the court scene, the prosecution counsel and the defense counsel had time to express their point of view over this case and also tendering evidences. In the movie, the prosecution counsel just said ‘tamper justice with mercy I rest my case’ and the defense counsel said ‘let justice prevail. My lord most obliged. Also, in the book, the prosecution counsel did mentioned that k.k’s mother was a widow and a plantain seller but in the movie, it was not mentioned.
3. In the book, Demola’s mum, Mrs. Diran was alive and even spoke in the twentieth movement but in the movie, they made us know that Mrs. Diran was dead.