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AFE 122 ASSIGNMENT: BASED OF GOOD MORNING SODOM BY SOLOMON ADEDOKUN EDEBOR

1a) Peer Pressure: Dr. Solomon Edebor in his play Good Morning Sodom addresses a number of problems with the new generation and ongoing problems in the university life and system. Peer pressure is simply the influence from one’s peer group or group of friends to feel valued and accepted. In the play Keziah was negatively influenced by Ovie and Bunmi to give demola a chance. She succumbed and was raped. The same way Demola fell victim of cultism by K.K influencing him to take harmful substances.

1b) Cultism: Cultism is another theme that is very prominent in the play. Cultism is the activity of worshipping devotion to the doctrine or a cult of the practices of a cult. In the play Demola becomes Member of Red shadows confraternity which resulted in his death.

1c) Suicide: Suicide is the act of intentionally causing ones own death or harming oneself with the intent to die. In Good Morning Sodom Keziah attempted to commit suicide because she felt she had failed and humiliated her family. Her father found her before she had died and got her treated.

1d) Rape: In Dr. Edebors Good Morning Sodom he addressed another pressing issue in the student body RAPE. Rape is unlawful sexual intercourse carried out forcibly under threat or torture against the will of usually a female or with a person who is beneath a certain age or incapable of valid consent. In the play Keziah was a victim of rape by a fellow coursemate Demola who has shown interests in her a number of times. She is drugged and raped in an unconscious state. When she woke up in demolas apartment she had been deflowered and she was devastated. She went back to her hostel to confide in her roommate Stella who had also been a victim of rape. She told Keziah about how she was raped by the sons of her pastors and how she blamed and turned away from God and indulged in other sexual activities but found her way back to God.

1e) Trust: Trust is a firm belief in the reliability, truth, or ability of someone or something. In the play Keziah trusted the wrong set of friends, Ovie and Bunmi and then also Trusted Demola enough to go to his house where she was raped.

2) Keziah Richards: She is known to be introverted and smart. Keziah is a very disciplined 200level student at first. But she later falls victim to negative peer pressure after persistently resisting it. Ovie and Bunmi who are keziahs coursemates lead her astray and she becomes a victim of rape by a fellow Course mate Demola. She felt shameful once defiled and even after consultation with her roommate stella she still went ahead and attempted suicide.

b) Demola Diran: He is Smart educationally and book wise and is the only Son of his parents, but he succumbs to peer pressure easily to the peer pressure put on him by K.K and eventually falls victim of an early death.

Stella: Stella is a roommate of Keziah in Mayflower University