

Themes:

Revenge as justice
Loyalty and friendship
Fate is uncontrollable
Pride can get in the way of duty



duty **Pride**

Ancient Rome and Troy
Setting: and Greece

Characters:

Humans / Gods

Odysseus	Posiden
Penelope	Zues
Telemachus	Athena
Alcinous	Colypso
Agamemnon	Apollo
Tiresias	Heleos
	Circe
	Aeolis

Conflicts:

Man vs. Man - Odysseus vs. Charybdis, Odysseus vs. Cyclops, Odysseus vs. Penelope's suitors

Man vs. Himself - Penelope has to decide whether or not she should remarry to one of her suitors.

Personification:

• Dawn mounted her golden throne.

- you can't put words in a bag.



Symbols:

{ Sirens, winds, Circe, Helious Cattle }

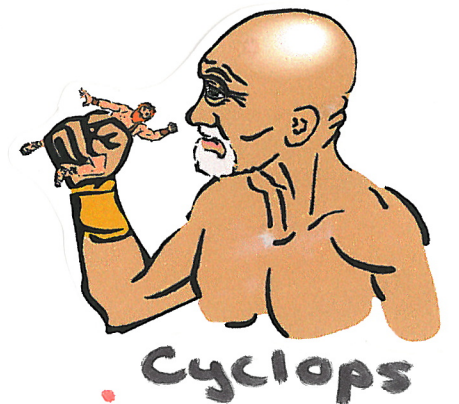
Foreshadowing:

Line 460 "Let him lose all companions, and return under strange sail to bitter days at home."
Line 126 "No pretty sight it turned out for my friends."

The Odyssey By Homer

Media Res - in the middle of things

Epic - a long narrative poem.



Cyclops