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Literacy Narrative Reflection

This essay was one of the most interesting essays I've had to write as a first assignment. The main reason why is because it involved a lot of free will. I had the power to decide how I felt, how I wanted to back it up, and why I felt that way. My essay is mainly written from the standpoint that women were treated unequally to men in the past and it is still connected to our life now. My thesis was probably the only reason I wanted to write this essay other than the grade because the subject is so relevant to now. I see examples of social imbalance all around my eyes daily, along with that, it is a constant fight for equality of all groups, not just one. However, I feel like fighting for only your group is selfish and sets back the move moments of everyone.

As soon as I began the essay my goal was to persuade and also educate a little. In other words, I wanted to bring light to a subject with just one image. The reason this was my goal was, I heard a lot of my classmates telling me they felt nothing. This also leads me to think about my position as the writer, I began to explain a lot of parts of the painting people were overlooking and push them to support my ideas. I did this because I could not assume the reader knew anything really about the painting, let alone agree with my opinion on it. Overall it was a wonderful experience.