

Comparison: Campbell plus Morphology 31 functions

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Campbell's Journey	Morphology's 31 Functions	Inanna (oldest story)	Water of Life	Hamlet	Waiting for Baba Yaga	Henry IV, parts 1 and 2
Home	<i>Absentation (leaving home)</i>	Will go down to underworld	King ill; needs Water of Life	Student away from home	Sent for fire to Baba Yaga	Leaves his father's court
	<i>Interdiction (told can't do X)</i>		Older brothers will go first	Gertrude begs Hamlet to accept situation	Can't come back without fire	Told to stop going into London underground
	<i>Violation of Interdiction (does X)</i>		Hero goes	Hamlet refuses		Hal refuses
	<i>Reconnaissance (Villain explores)</i>		Older Brothers as villain	Claudius' backstory (surmised)		Falstaff recognizes potential gain from relationship with Prince
	<i>Delivery (Villain makes a move)</i>	Drought, destruction in the land		Claudius' has killed Hamlet's father, married his mother	Step-mother, sisters plan Vasalisa's death	Falstaff involves Prince Hal in his schemes
	<i>Trickery (Villain cons hero/heroine)</i>			Claudius' appeal	Tell her "we're out of light"	Falstaff thieves/cheats
	<i>Complicity (Hero helps villain)</i>				Vasalisa agrees to go to Baba Yaga	Hal protects Falstaff from authorities
Call	<i>Villany/Lacking (Villain harms or something is needed)</i>	Eriskagel's demands	Water of Life needed	Claudius wants Hamlet's approval or wants him dead	The step-relations want her gone	Falstaff needs money and admiration
	<i>Mediation: Hero/Heroine (H/H) becomes aware</i>	Enki tells Inanna what must be done	Tells father he's going	Ghost tells Hamlet	Baba Yaga will tell her of their plot	Father on deathbed; says Hal is failing in his duty, kingdom will need a king not a wastrel
	<i>Beginning Counteraction: H/H takes action</i>	Inanna's decision - leaves a plan for her rescue	Hero prepares to go	Horatio; begins to validate Ghost		Hal explains what he's doing
	<i>Departure: leaves w/sense of purpose</i>	Inanna's stripping of her signs of power: enters naked	Hero leaves	Leaves with R&G to go to England	Vasalisa takes her doll and leaves	Promise to father to be a good king
Gate In	<i>Donor 1: meets donor and/or tested</i>		Kingdoms going there	Seems to go along	The Riders pass by	Preparation for being King
	<i>H/H Reaction: responds well</i>		Kingdoms going there	Realizes what's going on	She observes, remembers	
	<i>Receives Magical Agent</i>		Takes from the statues in hall	Rewrites letter to English king	Little Doll from her mother	
Nigredo	<i>H/H led to vital location</i>	Path down to Eriskagel's World	Lady at the Well	The sea	Finds Baba Yaga's house	MIstress Quickley's Inn
	<i>Struggle: direct conflict</i>	Eriskagel's accusations and rage	Falls asleep	Captured by pirates; taken to be part of crew (learns engagement/action)	Baba Yaga's three tasks	Hal/Falstaff
	<i>Branding: H/H marked</i>	Naked -	Heel caught in door		Given gifts: Skull, Steel Needle	Crown
Road of Trials/Gate Out	<i>Victory: villain defeated</i>	Two non-human helpers will recover Inanna (think R2D2, C3PO)	Escapes the castle	Brave/skilled: negotiates his freedom	Step-relations destroyed	
	<i>Liquidation: issues of story resolved</i>	Inanna meets Eriskagel's needs	has Water of Life	Determined to resolve situation	No more persecution	
	<i>Return back to home</i>	Inanna begins journey back	Heals three kingdoms on way	Returns	Lives in own house; hers now	Will be return to London from France
	<i>Pursuit: adversaries</i>	Discovers politics at home	Brothers steal Water of Life	Laertes/Claudius: wait (poisoned foil)		
	<i>Rescue: H/H saved</i>	Helpers go down for Inanna			She takes her rightful place	
	<i>Unrecognized Arrival</i>		Brothers home; tell lies			
	<i>Unfounded Claims</i>	Eriskagel's accusations	False hero, deceit	Gertrude's speech		
	<i>Difficult task (Trial)</i>	Hung on the Peg	Hero banished	Ophelia	Begins own sewing business	The French army and the Battle of Agincourt
	<i>Solution (task accomplished)</i>	Inanna takes her rightful place	King healed; Hero goes to Lady	Determines how to confront Claudius	Earns her own way	England wins
Return	<i>Recognition of Hero</i>	Eriskagel respects Inanna's role	Three kingdoms send gifts; Hero validated	Organizes confrontation with Player's	Czar recognizes her skills	Citizens celebrate winning at Agincourt, return from France
	<i>Exposure of villainy</i>		Brothers exposed	Players' play		Hal reveals he deflected Falstaff's attempt at thievery
	<i>Transfiguration into new appearance</i>	Hung on peg; Inanna/Eriskagel linked	Hero on Golden Road to Lady	No longer mad; taking action	Offered new job as Czarina	Hal is King Henry
	<i>Punishment</i>		Brothers suffer consequences	All die		Hal banishes Falstaff from Court and their personal relationship
Home	<i>Wedding</i>	New life in the land	Achieves the Lady/ recognition	Fortinbras is new Hero	Marries the Czar (power)	Hal returns to London in triumph