

Eichmann Rewrite exercise

Instructions: Review Eichmann's Final Plea. Now, imagine how his plea would sound if he suddenly became courageous. Imagine that he had the courage Sophie Scholl portrayed in her trial. How would he defend himself? What would he say to the Presiding Judge? Rewrite Eichmann's speech by making it courageous. Be sure to involve some important characteristics of courage. In the beginning of next class, you will be asked to present the defense by playing the role of Eichmann.

Presiding Judge: Adolf Eichmann, you have heard your Counsel's statement on the penalty. Do you wish to add anything concerning the penalty which the Court should impose on you for the crimes of which you have been found guilty?

Accused: