

### ***Heart of Darkness*** Test Review

**The novella:** plot, characters (make sure you know which characters are at the particular stations), symbolism (black/white color motif, the whited sepulcher, the women knitting black wool, the shrunken heads, the white worsted wool, the painting by Kurtz, the Congo River as a snake, rivets, Kurtz's last words, The Grove of Death, The Congo and Thames Rivers, the Romans), foil characters (The Intended and The African Mistress), the narrative structure (unnamed narrator, Marlow, flashback and present).

**Terms and Vocabulary-these words appear either in the question stems or the answers:** disdainful, incredulous, smug, conscientious, self-righteous, alliance, inevitable, incongruous, subverted image, juxtaposition, extended metaphor, figurative language, paradox, oxymoron, onomatopoeia.