

EXAMPLE TOWER DIAGRAM

Sequence: Linking	Point of View: 3	Tense: Present/Past
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INTRODUCTORY OPTION:

CLAIM:

Hans Huberman: A hero

INTRODUCTORY DETAILS:

Definition of hero: noble qualities

and brave acts

unlikely hero

① Foster father

② Painter, accordion player

③ Older man

④ Gentle nature

REASONS

Risks his life

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Acts according to beliefs

Linking

① Shelters Max, a Jew

② Shares food with Max

③ Gives bread to a Jew

④ Gets sent to the front

④ Does not burn books

① Against Hitler's beliefs

③ Not a party member

② Wants people to live in

○ harmony

CONCLUDING OPTION:

Qualities of a hero

CONCLUDING DETAILS:

① Endures pressure & anger

③ Stands up to Nazis

② Saves Max

THESIS STATEMENT:

As the novel unfolds, his ability to act according to his beliefs and his willingness to risk his life are the real factors that make him a hero.