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How People Respond to Death: Textual Analysis

Directions: Analyze the “The Jordan Burnham Story”/”The Finish Line” clip, Emily Dickinson’s “Because I Could Not Stop for Death,” the excerpt of Lance Armstrong’s autobiography It’s Not About the Bike, the excerpt from “The Book Thief,” and Steve Jobs’ speech “Death is the Desination We All Share” individually. Write your responses to these texts below. Make sure that you fill the boxes with as much information as possible.

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|  | Main Idea | How are they going to die? | How does the person react to finding out they’re dying? | What insights or interesting thoughts do they have about living or dying? |
| “The Jordan Burnham Story”  OR “The Finish Line” |  |  |  |  |
| “Because I could not Stop for Death” |  |  |  |  |
| It’s Not about the Bike |  |  |  |  |
| “The Good Short Life” |  |  |  |  |
| “Death is the Desintation We All Share" |  |  |  |  |