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THE STORY BEHIND THE STORY

When reading a story, it's important to understand what's the bigger story behind it. After you are finished with your book, list down the reading's important points in the boxes below.

IDENTIFY IF THE POINTS ABOVE ARE FOR OR AGAINST A CERTAIN ARGUMENT. ADD A + OR - ON THE CIRCLES.

What is the author trying to say?

Do the points above support or contradict the author's message?

What is the author's purpose in writing this piece?

Is the author successful?
