

Elements of Cinema

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

D. W. Griffith: The Biograph Years

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Answer the following questions. (40 points)

1. The structure of this famous film stresses comparisons in order to tell a morality tale between the rich and the poor. Explain how D.W. Griffith achieves this.

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2. Discuss the concept of "parallel action" and how Griffith uses this cinematic device in the film "The Lonely Villa."

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