

Thesis 1 - My feelings about you have changed.

Progression which will convey the thesis' meaning: Time Progression

A – You've given up on your dreams and it makes me love you less. (evokes the present)

A – When we met in college you had such huge plans for your future (evokes the past)

B – Your belief in yourself inspired me to believe in myself and now I don't believe in either of us (contrasts the past with the present or the present with the future)

A – I know you can be the man I fell in love with. It isn't too late. (evokes the future)

Thesis 2 - Everyone's out to get me.

Progression which will convey the thesis' meaning: Problem/Solution

A – I didn't get that promotion again. (identifies problem)

A – This is the third time I've been passed over even though I'm the most qualified and I know it's because people in this office hate me. (elaborates on the problem; contemplates what caused it)

B – If they only knew the real me they would like me (discusses a solution)

A - Maybe I should have a dinner party and invite my co-workers (proffers an action)

Thesis 3 - My dog goes completely insane when we get to the dog park

Progression which will convey the thesis' meaning: Pronoun Progression

A – I always wanted a dog and dreamed about taking him to the dog park. (I)

A – But you go completely insane whenever we get here (YOU)

B – It's embarrassing for me to have to constantly apologize to the owners of the little dogs you trample (EXPLORE THE RELATIONSHIP)

A – If things don't change we can't go to the dog park together anymore (US or HIM/HER)