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**Dialectical Journal – *Gilgamesh* #2 (Book 2)**

Directions: For your first journal check, you should have at least six QUALITY entries in the journal below. Refer to your Dialectical Journaling handout for suggestions and examples.

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| **Quote (CITED)** | **Response (LABELED)** |
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Reflection

1. Why is Gilgamesh anxious to fight Humbaba? (Be sure to reference info from the beginning of Book II, and also from what he tells Enkidu on pg 30).

2. Why is Enkidu close to crying on pg 31?

3. How is Gilgamesh’s relationship with his mother similar to the relationship between Achilles and his mother, Thetis?

4. Find the simile on page 34 and quote it below.

5. What is alliteration?

6. Quote and cite two examples of alliteration below.

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7. What do the following sentences mean? Do you think this is true? Explain.

*“Pleasure*

*Seemed to grow from fear for Gilgamesh.*

*As when one comes upon a path in woods*

*Unvisited by men, one is drawn near*

*The lost and undiscovered in himself” (35).*

8. What mystery does the author create about Humbaba’s forest?

9. Illustrate one scene from Book II. Include word/thought bubbles.

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