

SECOND GATHERING: WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3:

The Face of the Other

- Poem: Walt Whitman, "Vigil Strange I Kept on the Field One Night."
- Song: Bob Dylan, "John Brown."
- Short story: Tadeusz Borowski, "This Way for the Gas, Ladies and Gentlemen."
- Play: Athol Fugard, *Master Harold...and the Boys*.
- Novel: Erich Maria Remarque, *All Quiet on the Western Front*.
- Essay: Emmanuel Levinas, "Ethics and Spirit" from *Difficult Freedom*. 1963. Trans. Seán Hand. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins UP, 1990: 3-10.
- Essay: Emmanuel Levinas, "Responsibility for the Other" from *Ethics and Infinity: Conversations with Philippe Nemo*. 1982. Trans. Richard A. Cohen. Pittsburgh: Duquesne UP, 1985: 93-102.

Suggestions for further readings and viewings for Week Two topics:

- Essay: Wainaina, Binyavanga. "How to Write about Africa." *Granta 92: The View from Africa* (2006): 91-96. Also available as short film, 21 May 2012, at <<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cZiwjMWXF30>>.
- Non-fiction prose: Frederick Douglass, *Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass, An American Slave*.
- Non-fiction prose: Carl Wilkens, *I'm Not Leaving*. Spokane: World Outside My Shoes, 2011.
- Novel: Tsitsi Dangarembga, *Nervous Conditions*. New York: Seal, 2004.
- Novel: Ralph Ellison, *The Invisible Man*.
- Novel: Adam Johnson, *The Orphan Master's Son: A Novel*.
- Novel: Gaile Parkin, *Baking Cakes in Kigali: A Novel*. London: Atlantic, 2009.
- Novel: Jesmyn Ward, *Sing, Unburied, Sing*. New York: Scribner, 2017.
- Play: Ariel Dorfman, *Death and the Maiden*.
- Short story: Sherman Alexie, "The Long Ranger and Tonto Fistfight in Heaven," in *The Long Ranger and Tonto Fistfight in Heaven*. New York: Atlantic Monthly and HarperPerennial, 1993.