BOOK SEARCH AND EVALUATION

STAPLE THIS TO THE PRINTED CHAPTER FROM THE BOOK

	Your <u>Thematic Statement</u> :
	Underline the important words in the statement.
	Synonyms and related words that you will use as keywords (<u>search terms</u>).
	Title and author of the book
SEARCH	What keywords did you start with, and did you need to change them? Explain.
SEARCH	Which of the limiters, shown on the left hand side of the list of titles (records) did you use? Explain.
EVALUATE	How did you evaluate the appropriateness of the novel? Explain. Did you open the <u>abstract</u> in the <u>detailed record</u> and read it? OR If there wasn't an abstract did you open the <u>summary</u> at the bottom of the page? Explain. OR Did you look up the title in <u>Novelist Plus</u> or do a web search for a <u>summary</u> ? Explain.
EVALUATE	List 5 important words from your reading of the novel's <u>abstract</u> or <u>summary</u> .

	In two or more sentences, explain how this novel connects to your thematic statement.
EVALUATE	 Find information that explains your author's <u>literary background.</u> In two or more two sentences summarize the author's <u>literary background.</u> Cite the source for the author's information.