## **List of Possible Themes in Literary Works**

The Power of Skill Prejudice Powerlessness over Strength Fairness Loyalty Compassion Loyalty Forgiveness Death Heroism Jealousy Self-motivation Depression Deception Self-reliance Faith Suspicion Loss Inhumanity Conspiracy Betrayal Intolerance Persecution Secrecy Anger Catastrophe Coming of Age Discrimination Journey

Struggle for Self
Definition

Restriction

Obsession

Power

Survival

Grief

Loss of Innocence Exclusion Interference

Ambition Abandonment Greed
Self-Improvement Forgiveness Betrayal
The American Identity Alienation
Dream Evil Mortality
Family Tragedy Hope

Reputation Rivalry Community
Temptation Truth Cruelty
Isolation Hate Poverty
Love Finding One's Self Fate

Friendship Pride Oppression
Hysteria Beauty Regret
Silence Ambition Rejection

Guilt Courage Responsibility
Civilization vs. Duty Spirituality
Savagery Fear Success
Innocence Freedom Sadness
Dangerous Happiness Joy

Knowledge Suffering Desperation