

PLOT OUTLINES: DETAILED

I. _____

A. _____

1. _____

a. _____

b. _____

2. _____

B. _____

1. _____

2. _____

C. _____

1. _____

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

2. _____

D. _____

1. _____

2. _____

II. _____

A. _____

1. _____

2. _____

B. _____

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

C. _____

1. _____

2. _____

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

d. _____

III. _____

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

1. _____

2. _____

D. _____

E. _____

SIDENOTES:

- This is a sample of what a detailed outline might look like.
- In this case, you could mark the I, II and III as beginning, middle and end.
- Under each section, write a sentence about each place or event that will have an impact on the plot.
- Within each event or place category, name the characters involved in the scenes.
- Your characters' feelings about each event can also go into this detailed outline.
- You don't have to make each line a full sentence, it can be just a word or two to jog your memory.

- But, make sure it IS something you will remember--nothing is worse than getting to a point in your outline and not remembering what you meant by something!

