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Rule of Notice	Details From Story	What conclusions can you make from this information?
<u>Title:</u> _____		
<u>Beginning:</u> How does the story begin? ----- <u>Ending:</u> How does the story end?	-----	How do the two connect? How does it help you better understand the story?
<u>Repetition:</u> What ideas or images are repeated?		What does the repetition represent? How does it help you to understand the plot and ending?
<u>Figurative Language:</u> What seems to be a metaphor in the story?		How does this metaphor help you to understand the story and ending?
<u>Shifts in Narration/Time:</u>		Why are there shift in time in this way? What does it mean for the woman in the story? What does it mean for Bao?

<p>How are shifts in time represented?</p>		
<p><u>Threats, Warnings & Promises:</u> What threat, warning, or promise is made?</p>		<p>What is the direct result of this threat, warning, or promise?</p>
<p><u>Details given at a climactic moment:</u> What new information do we learn at the climax?</p>		<p>How does this new information alter the way we understand the story? How does it connect with the ending?</p>
<p><u>Apparent irrelevance/ Inappropriate behavior:</u> What unexpected action happens?</p>		<p>How is this action out of character? Why might the character have done this? How does it help you to better understand the story?</p>