

Make **Walden** Meaningful

1) Find a quote from somewhere in the first chapter of **Walden**, from pages 5-65. Find something that is rich and suggestive, that means something to you personally. Try to find something that isn't being used by anyone else in the class.

2) Use Pages to turn your quote into something beautiful. Type it out precisely. Choose a font that is simple and easy to read, but appropriate. Then find an illustration that works with your quote. Put them together in a way that is simple and satisfying.

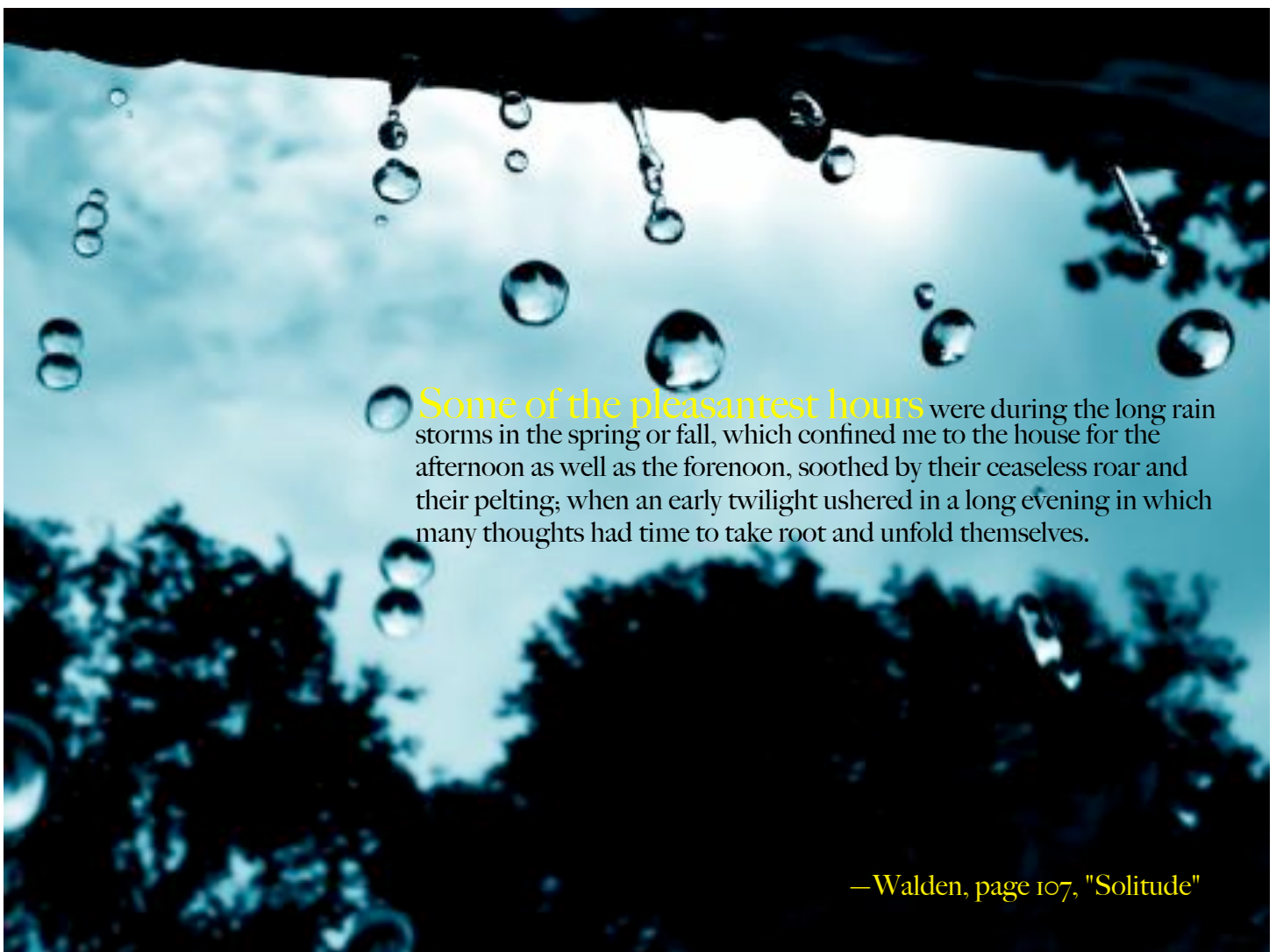
3) Use Landscape Mode (the *wide* way) for your quotes, because that will fill the screen and project most nicely.

Reminders: Get out the text inspector, remember how to float the text and turn text-wrap on and off.

Maybe most important: Try to stick to Thoreau's values:

Simplicity, simplicity, simplicity! I say, let your affairs be as two or three, and not a hundred or a thousand; instead of a million count half a dozen, and keep your accounts on your thumb nail.

"Where I lived, and what I lived for" **Walden**, page 75.



Some of the pleasantest hours were during the long rain storms in the spring or fall, which confined me to the house for the afternoon as well as the forenoon, soothed by their ceaseless roar and their pelting; when an early twilight ushered in a long evening in which many thoughts had time to take root and unfold themselves.

—Walden, page 107, "Solitude"