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CPWS: Hamlet

What choices was Hamlet pondering in his "To be or not to be?" soliloquy?

His choices were decide to live with suffering pain or decide to end his own life.

What challenge did he face in his life at that time? What would you have done in his situation?

He has to choose between get revenge for his father or prove that his uncle, new king was involved with his father's assassination. And if I were him, I would take one step back and find the evidence to prove about my father's death. After I found the truth, I rather to do nothing but hopefully, one day the new king will be responsible for what he have done.

What did Hamlet decide to do? What things did he do (or not do) that eventually led to the tragic end of the play?

Hamlet decided to revenge for his father's death. At first, he killed the wrong man. Things that led to the tragedy end started when Hamlet killed Polonius which made Ophelia went insane and killed herself. Laertes wanted to revenge, he kept fighting Hamlet. The king offered Laertes wine but he refused. Unfortunately, the queen drank it and the wine turn out to be poisoned so the queen died. Then Hamlet was stabbed by poison sword. Before he die, he used that sword to kill the king and Laertes.

What do his actions say of his personality? What kind of man was Hamlet?

Hamlet is emotional person. He felt sad when his father died and he was angry when his mother married his uncle who Hamlet was doubted that he killed his father. Hamlet was also planner, he plan to be insane so that he can prove that his uncle kill his dad.

Do you think Hamlet was overcome with insanity during the course of the play?

No, he was not really insane. He just pretended so that he can prove that the king was involved in his father's death.