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Conversation: Links and texts

And now my two-cents' worth:

We've had a couple of great discussions about *Persuasion*--but there is, of course, more that could be said. Issues that remain undeveloped include: what is "persuasion"?--the pressures of social expectations--the place of the individual (in the text, and in early 19th-century British society)--the language/structure of the novel--is it "romantic"? Others that YOU want to discuss? (That's an invitation to vent your ideas here.) Wednesday next we will turn to Goethe, and to a comparison of the two texts. Friday will be--well, whatever we want. If we have more to say about one text or the other or both, then we'll focus on that. But you also have a paper due the next day, and I would be happy to devote at least part of that class to some sort of writing workshop. Professor Denham and I have been struck by how almost uniformly you have spoken appreciatively of your workshops from last semester.

After next week, we turn to E. M. Forster's *Howards End*. If you haven't read it yet--man, there's a treat in store for you.

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