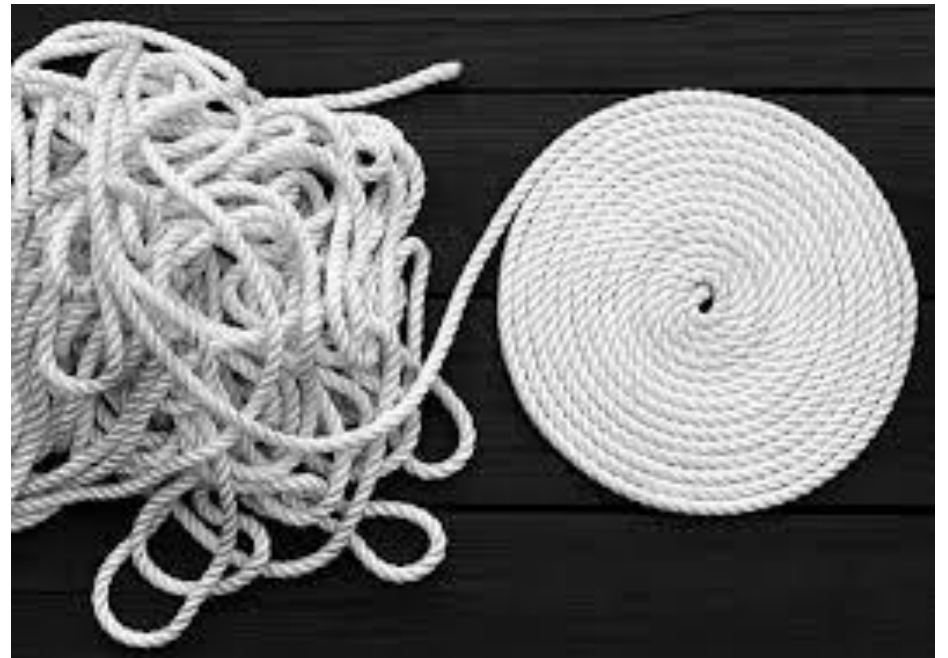




TRAGEDY & COMEDY

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TRAGEDY

- begins in chaos and ends with the restoration of order (often symbolized by the death of the hero)
- drama that relates the fall of an individual of high status as a result of the protagonist's tragic flaw
- celebrates courage and dignity of the human spirit as the hero faces inevitable doom alone

COMEDY

- begins in chaos and ends with the restoration of order (often symbolized by the marriage of the central characters)
- drama that humorously examines the spectacle of collective human weakness and failure
- mocks a group of people in their human state, restrained and often made ridiculous by their limitations, faults, bodily functions, and animal nature

TRAGEDY *versus* COMEDY

