**DIRECTIONS:** You will need to use the website

<http://changingminds.org/disciplines/storytelling/plots/hero_journey/hero_journey.htm>

to define and analyze the stages of the hero’s journey. Complete the chart below by including a definition of that particular stage of the hero’s journey and then illustrate that theme in either a book, movie, comic book, TV show, or video game. Use the link on our class website for the stages of the journey as well as examples of the analysis of each stage.

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| Stage of the Journey | Definition | Example from media |
| **STAGE 1:**  **The Call to Adventure** |  |  |
| Refusal of the Call |  |  |
| Supernatural Aid |  |  |
| Crossing the First Threshold |  |  |
| **Belly of the Whale** |  |  |
| **STAGE 2:**  **The Road of Trials** |  |  |
| Meeting with the Goddess |  |  |
| Woman as the Temptress/Temptation from the True Path |  |  |
| Atonement with the Father |  |  |
| **Apotheosis** |  |  |
| The Ultimate Boon |  |  |
| **STAGE 3:**  Refusal of the Return |  |  |
| The Magic Flight |  |  |
| Rescue from Without |  |  |
| Crossing of the Return Threshold |  |  |
| **Master of Two Worlds** |  |  |
| Freedom to Live |  |  |