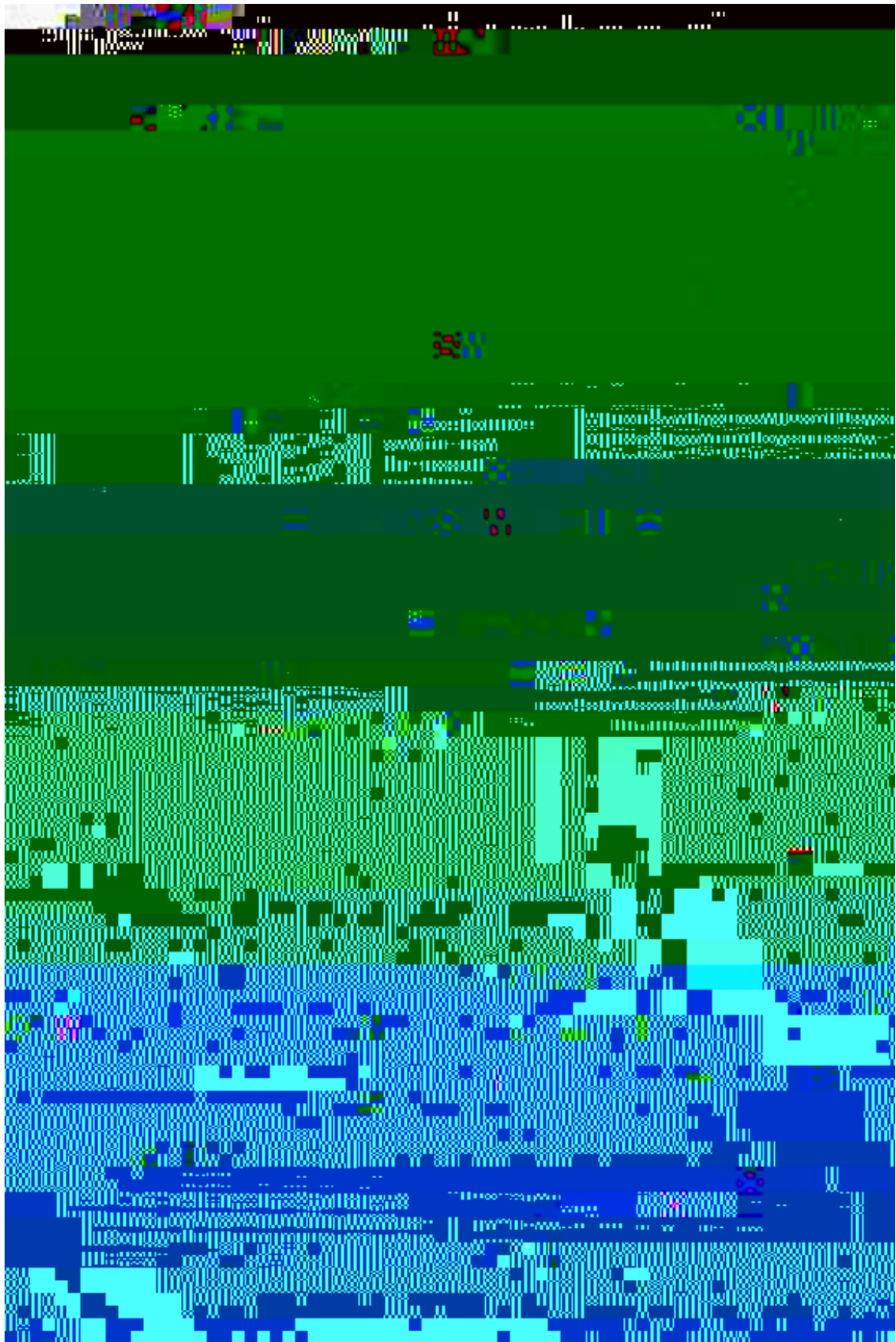


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Mark Antony also uses the same rhetorical device to express his own rhetorical limitations:

[A] I am no orator, as you well know.

Or three phrases:

I stand before you today the representative of a family in grief, in a country in mourning before a

More generally, much of the force of the famous speech hinges on the rhetorical device of rhetorical questions.

Antony has no doubt that Brutus is a noble man, but he is

Or three sentences:

We have set. Many have gone. The world are safer.

Rhetorical questions and puzzling lines [P] are other important rhetorical devices. They have the effect of getting the audience to think about what's coming. And either draw their own conclusions or respond positively to the solution [S] provided by the speaker.

Speeches to find examples of this device. The Henry V are urged to do three things:

Stiffen the sinews, summon up the blood, Disguise fair nature with frowny brows.

And Mark Antony not only starts the Forum

to be an ineffectual orator:

For words, not worth, or the power of speech,

[S] I haven't been on politics for quite a while.

Ronald Reagan

For I have neither will, nor action, nor utterance, To stir men's blood.

[P] On my way here I passed a local cinema and turned out you were all