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*The Diary of Anne Frank & Night*

## Argumentative Brainstorming Page

**Directions:** Take notes on the page range indicated. Annotate the prompt and generate scaffolding questions as needed to guide your thinking about which details from the text are most important.

- **Prompt:** *Night* begins with descriptions of Eliezer's deep devotion to Judaism, but the experiences he endures during the Holocaust challenge and reshape his faith. Think about the moments you have read so far that most influence his religious beliefs and his relationship with God. Write an argument about how Eliezer's faith has changed and what you believe is the main cause of this transformation.

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**Directions:** Synthesize trends from the details you gathered above. Use the trends to draft a claim and two topic sentences with clear relationships to the claim. Finally, choose three pieces of evidence for each topic sentence that support it most strongly.

Claim:	
Topic Sentence 1:	Topic Sentence 2:
Evidence: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•</li><li>•</li><li>•</li></ul>	Evidence: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•</li><li>•</li><li>•</li></ul>