

Two Paragraph Outline

Opinion: Berto deserves to be on the cover because he came up with a plan to save Valle Granada by transporting water from the river, and he also helped Solimar save her kingdom, San Gregorio.

Paragraph 1

Topic Sentence: One reason Berto deserves the cover story is that he came up with plans to bring water back to Valle Granada.

- **Detail:** Lives alone by river, working on plans
- **Detail:** Other kingdoms: "the land in Valle Granada is a lost cause," (p. 123)
- **Detail:** Gained support of King Sebastián – will help build flume system

Concluding Sentence: By bringing water back to Valle Granada, Berto will save his community from a water shortage that would have ruined their farming tradition.

Paragraph 2

Topic Sentence: Another reason Berto deserves to be on the cover is that he helped Solimar reunite with her brother and father, saving San Gregorio from King Aveno.

- **Detail:** Helped travel down the river
- **Detail:** Saw chance to save both kingdoms
- **Detail:** Helped Solimar stay calm, stick to plans

Concluding Sentence: Berto impacted San Gregorio by assisting Solimar on her mission to save it from King Aveno.