THU 9/17 agenda
• Take attendance, etc.
• Continue discussing Bulosan’s *America Is in the Heart* (and practicing close reading)

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Narrative Techniques and Motifs
• Repetition with a difference
• Death and birth
• Intertextuality (32, 45–46, 69–70)
• Beauty and pleasure (33–34, 53)

Part II – Characteristics of Capitalism
• Capitalism steals (99, 108, 125)
• Capitalism criminalizes (153, 166, 175)
• Capitalism exploits (100–1, 141)
• Capitalism racializes (100, 121, 129, 156–57, 146, 163–64)
• Capitalism emasculates (100, 159–60)

Part II – Characteristics of Capitalism
• Capitalism dehumanizes (109, 135, 138, 142, 152, 174)
• Capitalism displaces (104)
• Capitalism tears families apart (100, 164, 123)
• Capitalism divides & conquers (178, 146)
• Capitalism kills (135)

Searching for “America”
• The “paradox of America” (147)
• What or who is America, and where can it be found?
  – Macario’s speech as a turning point (188–89)

FOR THURSDAY 9/24
• Continue reading Bulosan, Part III
  – If Part II shows capitalism to be the problem, then what is the solution?
  – What is the role of women in the text? Is there a difference in the way white women and women of color are portrayed?
• Don’t forget to tweet