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Livingstone claims “an idea expressed in direct quotation” (394).

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explains that “an idea expressed in direct quotation” (394).

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