Scarlet Ibis and Simon Birch Essay

Over the past week and a half, we have been working with the short story *The Scarlet Ibis* as well as watching *Simon Birch*. You have in your notes, some comparisons and contrasts between the two and now I want you to answer the following question: Is *Simon Birch* a good representation of *The Scarlet Ibis*? What I mean by this is are their enough comparisons that, you as an audience member, easily connect the two or are there just too many differences that making any sort of connection between the two is just a stretch? I want you to pick **one** side and defend it. Your goal, is to argue your point well enough that in a debate you would win!

This essay needs to be written in a standard essay format (which you will see in class) including elements like a thesis, quotes/scenes, transitions, and good analysis. It also needs to be in the following format:

* 12 pt. Times New Roman
* Double Spaced
* 1 inch margins
* 2-3 pages (it may go over 3 but cannot go under 2 **full** pages)

This assignment will be due next week Monday and Tuesday (9/30-10/1)

We will also have a peer edit day on Thursday (9/26) where you will need to have at least something (around one page) completed so that another person can give you feedback. That portion will be a homework grade.