**Othello, Shakespeare**  
*Act I, sc. iii*

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| **Jealousy** | • Declares hatred for O  
• Suspects O has slept with Emilia  
  o Emilia = Iago’s wife  
  o "twixt my sheets . . . [has] done my office"  
  o no actual evidence, but Iago doesn’t care |
| **Deception** | • Lays out plot:  
  o Cheat Rod. out of his $  
  o Tell O that Cassio is sleeping with Des.  
    • Knows that O trusts him  
    o Use O’s honesty to bring him down |
| **Trust** |  |
| **Reputation** |  |

Iago tells the audience how deeply he hates O. He heard O has slept with Emilia (his wife). He doesn’t have proof but doesn’t care. He tells his plan to 1) take Roderigo’s $ by promising to help him get Des; 2) tell O that Cassio is "too familiar" with Des; 3) use O’s trusting personality to cause him to trust Iago over Des + Cassio.