

Read paragraphs 6-7 of “An Address by Elizabeth Cady Stanton” from “The right is ours. The question now is” through “until by continual coming we shall weary him.”

1. How has Cady Stanton previously developed the idea that “The right is ours”?
2. What is the effect of beginning paragraph 6 with “The right is ours”?
3. What is the effect of the question Cady Stanton poses in paragraph 6?
4. What does “full stature” mean in relation to Webster, given how Cady Stanton describes him in the previous paragraph? Based upon this understanding, what can you infer about the other men in this sentence?
5. Why are women “sorely grieved”?
6. What is the effect of listing the examples of “drunkards, idiots, horse racing, rum selling rowdies, ignorant foreigners, and silly boys”?
7. How does Cady Stanton’s word choice in the phrase beginning, “while we ourselves are thrust out from all the rights,” advance her purpose?

8. What is the effect of beginning paragraph 7 with the sentence “The right is ours”?
  
9. How does Cady Stanton’s use of rhetoric in paragraph 7 advance her purpose?
  
10. How does Cady Stanton’s use of “just” and “unjust” further develop her point of view?
  
11. How does Cady Stanton further refine her purpose in the last sentence of paragraph 7?