**Rhetorical Analysis Outline**

**Author/Speaker:**

**What are you being asked to do??**

**What is Chavez’s argument about nonviolent resistance?**

**The rhetorical devices that most effectively communicate this argument are:**

**Thesis statement:**

**Name your first rhetorical device:**

**Give examples of this device from the text (either paraphrased or quoted):**

**Explain WHY or HOW this device helps to communicate Chavez’s argument:**

**Name your second rhetorical device:**

**Give examples of this device from the text (either paraphrased or quoted):**

**Explain WHY or HOW this device helps to communicate Chavez’s argument:**

**OPTIONAL….Name your third rhetorical device:**

**Give examples of this device from the text (either paraphrased or quoted):**

**Explain WHY or HOW this device helps to communicate Chavez’s argument:**

**Now…to earn the sophistication point…WHY DOES THIS MATTER? (Make a “big picture” connection)**