



CLAIM: Reagan believes that improving the economy will be the most important activity of his presidency.

Supporting Evidence	Supporting Evidence	Supporting Evidence
"removing the roadblocks that have slowed our economy"	"reawaken this industrial giant"	"these will be our first priorities"
(Reference: lines 108-109)	(Reference: line 111)	(Reference: line 113)

CLAIM: Reagan holds that America should lead by example.

Supporting Evidence	Supporting Evidence	Supporting Evidence
"exemplar of freedom"	"beacon of hope"	"We will not use our friendship to impose on their sovereignty, for our own sovereignty is not for sale."
(Reference: line 124)	(Reference: line 125)	(Reference: lines 128-129)



CLAIM:

Reagan asserts that resisting conflict with enemies must be the first option.

Supporting Evidence

"peace is the highest aspiration of the American people"

(Reference: line 131)

Supporting Evidence

"We will negotiate for it, sacrifice for it"

(Reference: lines 131-132)

Supporting Evidence

"reluctance for conflict should not be misjudged as a failure of will"

(Reference: lines 133-134)

CLAIM:

Reagan sees that American heroism involves hard work and sacrifice.

Supporting Evidence

"giants on whose shoulders we stand"

(Reference: line 148)

Supporting Evidence

"monument to the kinds of hero I spoke of earlier"

(Reference: line 161)

Supporting Evidence

"I will work, I will save, I will sacrifice"

(Reference: lines 170-171)