

Past Tense Verbs in Rorschach Responses

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 05, 2010 00:43  
**To:** Rorschach\_List@yahoogroups.com  
**Subject:** RE: [Rorschach\_List] RE: Texture and Vista?

Very helpful, thank you.

Dorothy

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Dorothy,

I think your question is interesting--does this woman have painful ruminations of intimacy? I am struck by the frozen nature of her percept "spilled nail polish." This response is full of **past tense action**. The nail polish spilled, ran, thinned out, looks thick and gooey, but there is **no action determinant**. (And I think no texture because it's too late in the answer.)

"Helpless, longing, stuck, depressed" comes to mind, which means trauma.

My free association. Susan

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Original message from "Dorothy Edelson" <edelson@comcast.net>:

Several of this client's responses seemed to contain vista and texture, sometimes with a merged quality. Would anyone care to speculate on the psychodynamic meaning of this? Does she have painful ruminations about intimacy. She had 3 texture responses out of 15, 3 Morbids, 1 COP, 5 Populars and one Contam. The DEPI and CDI are the only positive indexes. D = -2, adj D = -2, X-% = 30, Ego = .20. SCON is negative.

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This response is from a 42-year-old female

**Card II: looks like spilled make up or nail polish, (which?) Nail polish.**

**Inquiry: all over here and looks like another one tried to spill but they caught it in time. (Q. nail polish?), because when nail polish drips out its thicker in some spots when it runs off it tends to get thinner. Thick and gooey.**

Can both texture and vista be scored for this response or is that overkill?

Thanks in advance.

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**Subject:** Re: [Rorschach\_List] Ror-scan RFQ table and SS gizmos

At 10:06 AM 6/22/2008, Daniel Snyder wrote:

I just upgraded to a MacBook Pro and have installed Parallels to run Windows XP. I was able to install Ror-Scan, update it to 6.0.5 and get it authorized. But it seems like I have lost track of the applications to get the RFQ tables updated, and the one that converts to the "traditional" structural summary. It has been so long since I have moneyed around with this, that my copies are lost.

Can anyone point me to where I might obtain these? Also, are there any tricks to getting these installed?

They are in the files archives of this listserv along with instructions for use.

Phil

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