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Short Story Critique

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Plot Structure: List the events that support each part of the plot.

1. Exposition: Kenneth is getting ready for his birthday, and he lights the candles with his fingers. Joe buys shoes and shocks himself (there are the flash backs and beginning of their discovery of powers, (shocking people and burning robber),

2. Rising Action:

Joe decides to become evil, and make the name electric fist and gets parts to harness his ability. And he starts hurting people and Kenneth decides he has to stop him.

3. Climax:

Joe shocks Kenneth in the face but Kenneth fights back and catches him on fire.

4. Falling Action:

The police come and Kenneth explains everything, but not his powers. Joe gets put in jail.

5. Resolution:

Joe is writing to his family about how sorry he is, and he accepts responsibility.

6. Why does the reader care about the Protagonist (main character)?

because he is nice and he wants to help people and he stopped the robber and he doesn't want to show off.

7. Why is the Antagonist evil/bad (what made them be bad)?

I don't know, he just seemed to turn evil.

8. What is the setting and how does the setting help support the story?

Vancouver but it isn't incorporated into the story.

9. What is one of the super powers and how is developed?

he could shock people, he made a machine that conjured electric charge

10. What is the other super power and how is it developed?

he can conjure fire and burn people because he was a human capacitor. (Not sure how this happened)

11. What are specific things they can add or fix to their story?

It's too long but some of the characters aren't developed enough. We don't understand the concepts you are using and why certain characters are evil and why some are good. Some things need to be cut and others need to have a lot more detail like the powers and plot line. We need to feel for your characters.