Novel Motifs—The Book Thief

Directions: After reading and annotating your novel, isolate examples of symbolism, interpret the meaning of the symbol, and decide the author's purpose in the use of that symbol in the selection. Be sure to provide textual evidence to prove your identification of the symbol.

Motif	Textual Evidence	Author's Purpose
Darkness		
Knowledge		
Fear		
Death		
Stealing		

Dishonesty	
Honesty	
Confusion	
Anger	
Humiliation	
Норе	
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