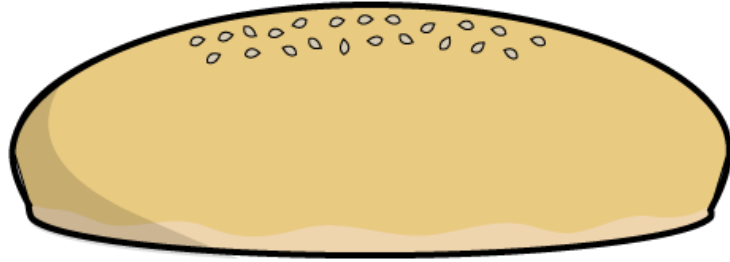


# The Answer Sandwich

*Leaving the Questioner “Full”!*



← #3--**Close** (Top Bun)—Finish your answer with a strong statement that summarizes your answer.

- “That is how...”
- “That is why...”
- “In conclusion...”
- “As a result...”
- “For this reason...”

← #2—**Support** (Meat, Cheese, and Veggies)—Provide **at least three** sentences supporting your introductory sentence.

- “To begin...”
- “A second...”
- “Next...”
- “For example...”
- “Furthermore...”
- “Finally...”

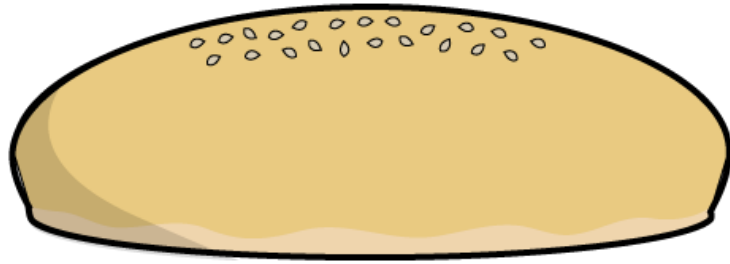
← #1--**Introduce** (Bottom Bun)—In a sentence, restate the question and the gist (essence) of the answer.

# Keys to Success for a Complete Answer

- The reader should be able to read the ***Introduction*** and ***Conclusion*** sentences and be able to tell “**what**” your answer is.
- The reader should be able to read your three (minimum) ***Support*** sentences and be able to tell “**why**” you answered the way you did.
- Think creatively to avoid becoming too mechanical with your sentences, ex. *“In conclusion, that is why blue is my favorite color.”*
- Grading marks will include—***“I”, “1”, “2”, “3”, “C”***.

# An Example:

## “Describe someone who reminds you of Jesus”



“Someone who reminds me of Jesus is my Mom.” (I)



“One reason that my Mom reminds me of Jesus is that she prays all the time.” (1)



“I also see Jesus in my Mom because she fixes my dinner for me every day, even when she’s tired.” (2)



“Finally, my Mom is always kind to others, even strangers!” (3)



“So, my Mom reminds me of Jesus because she talks to God in prayer and is so loving and giving to other people and to me!” (C)