After evaluating the SOAPSTONE, elaborate on how you can recognize the author's point of view.

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Who is the S peaker?	 Who voice that is speaking? What can we infer about the person? What roles does he play in this event?
What is the Occasion?	What is the time and place? What is the source of the literaturethat created it?
Who is the Audience?	 To whom is this document directed? The audience may be one person, a small group, or a large group, or specific to a person or group.
What is the Purpose?	 What is the reason behind the text? Why was it written? What goal did the author have in mind?
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What is the TONE?	 What is the attitude expressed by the speaker? Examine the choice of words, emotions expressed, imagery used to determine the speaker's attitude.