The Wife of Bath – second part (lines 15-32 pag.44)

First of all, the character is described with the repetition of the adjective “worthy” that it adds value to the character. Furthermore the alliteration of sounds “w” helps to stick it into the reader’s mind. Secondly, at line 16 the Wife of Bath is characterized to his social status. Indeed the narrator tells “she’d had five husbands”. From line 16 to line 22, the intelligent reader may understand that the Wife of Bath was bound to the church because “she’d had five husbands, all at the church door” and “she’d been to Rome and St James of Compostella”. In addition the narrator characterized the Wife of Bath with his main actions. He tell that she knew all about travelling and she’d had sexual relationships with many people.