do this for Buck because over the time he was loyal to everyone he lived with. So now Buck wants to be loyal by leading his own tribe and getting them through the hardships of life. The loyalty is what seems to help Buck live the life that he did. He was taken from his home in California and ended up in the cold with a dog sled crew. Without his loyalty he could have ended up being released into the wild with no experience of survival. Buck also could have ended up dead or treated poorly by the Spitz, the leader of the dog crew. Loyalty is what kept the dogs alive and the owners dependent on the dogs and Buck.

What critics say about loyalty/call of the wild.