

Poetry Out Loud: Poem analysis

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1. What is the title of your poem?
2. Who is the author?
3. When was your poem written?
4. How many lines is your poem?
5. How many stanzas does your poem contain?
6. Identify the tone of your poem. Include a line/phrase/stanza to support your answer.
7. What is the subject matter of your poem- what is it about? How do you know?
8. What is the rhyme scheme of your poem (if any- abcd, a,b,a,b, etc.) Is it free verse, narrative, blank verse, etc?
9. Rewrite your poem one stanza at a time, using paraphrasing (your own words).
10. Notice the diction- are the words abstract or literal? Give an example.
11. Is the poem relevant to the world today? Explain.
12. Is there any metaphor? Simile? Alliteration? Symbolism?
13. Is Irony present?
14. Explain why you chose this poem. How does it relate to
15. Identify your favorite line, word or phrase in the poem and explain why.