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| **Title** | *Ponder the title before reading the poem* |
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| **Paraphrase** | *Translate the poem into your own words* |
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| **Connotation** | *Contemplate the poem for meaning beyond the literal (Interpretation)*  *Consider how poetic devices contribute to the meaning and effect of the poem.* |
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| **Attitude** | *Observe both the speaker’s and the poet’s attitude (tone, diction, images, mood, etc.)* |
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| **Shifts** | *Note shifts in speakers and in attitudes (are there changes?)* |
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| **Title** | *Examine the title again, this time on an interpretive level* |
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| **Theme** | *Determine what the poet is saying* |
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