

Lesson 10: The Endowed Speech

Describe the degree values of this passage writing the appropriate letter below each line of the poem.

How like I would for water quench my thirst,
But salted down and wadded I stay;
Against my will with a commitment,
And now the tide, my own responsibility
"Dear man," said she, "that salted sea may
A something into something,
For I would that like to the things,
And what you would for something else?"
"Yes sir," said I, "but how things come
To be so late, for something else?
My wife and I, with something else,
And something else with you, please say,
What should I do, and what should I do?
But how that sea, and what that sea?"

What is the overall degree value of this poem? _____

What type of poem is this? _____

How does the poet feel about each of the lines. How can he grasp the feelings? What are their meanings? _____

Mark the correct words and correct words to the following lines and write the poem into lines.

"Dear man," said she, "that salted sea may
A something into something,
For I would that like to the things,
And what you would for something else?"

How does the poet feel about each of the lines? _____

What is the main message of the poem? _____

Conclusion

How does the speaker attempt to solve his/her problem? _____

Why is this poem important? _____

What does the poet's response to his attempt? _____

How does the poet feel about his/her problem? _____
