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When Mrs. Leonard came into town, the day smelled like lemon lollipop and tasted like iced tea. I watched every inch of her perfume out of the 1950 Cadillac to be scooted by her cigar smoking husband. He could have easily been mistaken for Clark Gable or one of those other Hollywood actors.

How does the strong imagery and figurative language assist the reader in knowing how the narrator feels about Mrs. Leonard and her husband?

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The Night

The night creeps in like a shadow without a figure.
Little by little it overtakes day by casting a twisted mirror image.
It steals its lesser than, the moon, to slink through the dark hours.
It blankets the Earth with its dark rays.
As if ending a dance, it slips away
Leaving daytime to take its turn.

At several places in the text, the author uses figurative language. How does this help the reader understand what the moon is like?
