

Romeo and Juliet
Quote identification Worksheet

Directions: For each of the following quotes:

- a. Identify speaker
- b. Describe when the quote was spoken (what was the situation)
- c. In your own words, explain what the quote means

Then, Underline and label the following literary elements in each quote: Simile, Metaphor, Foreshadowing, Personification, etc.

1. "If ever you disturb our streets again,
Your lives shall pay the forfeit of the peace. (Act I, scene I)

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____

2. "And too soon marred are those so early made.
Earth hath swallowed all my hopes but she.
She's the hopeful lady of my earth.
But woo her, gentle Paris, get her heart. (Act I, scene ii)

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____

3. "She is the fairies' midwife, and she comes
In shape no bigger than an agate stone
On the forefinger of an alderman,
Drawn with a team of little atomi
Over men's noses as they lie asleep." (Act I, scene iv)

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____

4. "This, by his voice, should be a Montague. –
(to his page) Fetch me my rapier, boy. - ...
Uncle, this is a Montague, our foe,
A villain that is hither come in spite
To scorn at our solemnity this night." (Act I, scene v)

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____