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### Compare and Contrast - Poem 2

Please go to [mrfrick.com](http://mrfrick.com) and look links provided to you. At the bottom of the page with the links, scroll through the list of poets. Select a poem that is interesting to you written by one of these poets. Continue to use the websites provided. Your interest in the poem can range from its title, form, specific line or word. Once you have selected a poem, answer the following questions.

1. What is the title of your poem?
2. Who is the author? Why do you think they wrote this poem?
3. Where did you find this poem? (website name or URL)
4. Why did you choose this poem?
5. What is your favorite line in the poem?
6. What do you think the title means?
7. In two to three sentences, tell me what your poem is about (summarize).
8. Paraphrase lines 6-10 of your poem.

9. Compare and contrast your poem to Walt Whitman's "I Hear America Singing". What similarities are there? What differences are there? Answer in a venn diagram.

10. Compare and contrast your poem to your first selected poem. What similarities are there? What differences are there? Answer in complete sentences.

11. Out of the two poems you have selected, which do you prefer? Why? What mood does it create?