

POETRY STUDY SHEET

Terms

alliteration
allusion
carpe diem
extended metaphor
figurative
free verse
gestalt shift
hyperbole
irony
metaphor
onomatopoeia
paraphrase
poetic diction
prose
prose poem
simile
speaker
stanza
understatement
verse

Poets

Elizabeth Bishop
Robert Browning
Leonard Cohen
Billy Collins
e. e. cummings
Emily Dickinson
Robert Frost
A. E. Housman
Langston Hughes
Andrew Marvell
Howard Nemerov
Mary Oliver
Wilfred Owen
Linda Pastan
Gary Snyder
Wallace Stevens
John Updike

Poems

Bishop, "In the
Waiting Room"
Bishop, "One Art"
Bishop, "The Fish"
Bishop, "The Map"
Bishop, "The Moose"
Browning, "My Last
Duchess"
Cohen, "Anthem"
Cohen, "Everybody
Knows"
Cohen, "Hallelujah"
Cohen, "I'm Your
Man"
Cohen, "Tower of
Song"
Collins, "Introduction
to Poetry"
Dickinson, "'Hope' is
the Thing with
Feathers"
Dickinson, "A Fly
Buzzed"
Dickinson, "Some
Keep the Sabbath
Going to Church"
Dickinson, "Success
is Counted
Sweetest"
cummings, "she
being Brand"
Frost, "Stopping by
Woods"
Housman, "To an
Athlete Dying
Young"
Hughes, "Harlem"
Hughes, "I, "Too"
Hughes, "Let America
Be America Again"
Hughes, "Mother to
Son"
Hughes, "Song for a
Dark Girl"
Hughes, "The Negro
Speaks of Rivers"
Hughes, "Theme for
English B"
Marvell, "To His Coy
Mistress"

Nemerov, "Walking
the Dog"
Oliver, "A Visitor"
Oliver, "Picking
Blueberries,
Austerlitz, New
York, 1957"
Oliver, "Starlings in
Winter"
Oliver, "The Swan"
Owen, "Dulce Et
Decorum Est,""
Pastan, "Marks"
Snyder, "By Frazier
Creek Falls"
Snyder, "Changing
Diapers"
Snyder, "I Went Into
the Maverick Bar"
Snyder, "Song of the
Taste"
Snyder, "Why Log
Truck Drivers Rise
Earlier Than
Students of Zen"
Stafford, "Traveling
Through the Dark"
Stevens, "Final
Soliloquy of the
Interior Paramour"
Stevens, "The
Emperor of Ice
Cream"
Updike, "Dog's
Death"