

## She Walks in Beauty, by Lord Byron

1. What is the poem about? (What does the poet talk about?) \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. What is the poem *really* about? \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. Rather than saying that the subject of the poem walks beautifully, he says that she walks *in* beauty. What do you think he means by that? In other words, what is walking in beauty?  
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4. The poet uses the natural world to convey his beloved's beauty. Write down as many words as you can find that name things found in the natural world.  
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5. The poet uses the "s" sound heavily throughout. This is called sibilance, in which the "s" sounds are like ornaments on a Christmas tree. How do you think this sound adds to the meaning of the poem? (Use your imagination and write whatever occurs to you, the reader.)  
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6. What does "tress" mean? \_\_\_\_\_
7. What is the "raven tress" described in line 9? \_\_\_\_\_
8. What is the pivot in this poem? \_\_\_\_\_