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SIFT Literary Analysis Strategy

Directions: Use the table below to record examples of each of the poetic devices from the literary work

Title: _____ **Author:** _____

<p>Symbols</p> <p>Examine the title and text for symbolism</p>	
<p>Images</p> <p>Identify images and sensory details (sight, sound, taste, odor, texture)</p>	
<p>Figurative Language</p> <p>Identify and analyze non-standard use of language, including metaphor, simile, repetition, omission, unusual word order, slang, etc.</p>	
<p>Tone and Theme</p> <p>1) Discuss the tone taken by the author.</p> <p>2) Message or moral: Why did the author create this work?</p>	