

Literary Appreciation

Identify the literary Device used in these local compositions below :

Hyperbole , Metaphor , Simile, Personification ,

1) Can you hear a distant drum

Bouncing on the laughter of a melody (yea, yea)

And does the rhythm tell you , come, come, come

Does your spirit do a dance to this symphony (David Rudder "Calypso") -----

2) 'Cause when ah fete-in' of course I does Do it like ah boss! (Machel Montano "Like ah boss") -----

3) He Catch a fish a mile wide, 80 feet in span

He had to tie it on de boat and swim back to land

To get he brother Eric to give him a hand ((Lord Nelson)) (King Liar) -----

4) Way meh flag , Last February was when I lost you in de fete

I missed you dearly

And boy I cya stop grieving yet

so baby come back (Destra "Bonnie and Clyde") -----

5) But nothing in de world doh bother we

But look ah smart man gone wid we money

We still come out and mash up de party (David Rudder "Trini to the bone") -----

6) When you watch me I feel as though as if I win the lottery (Farmer Nappy "Hooking meh")

7) Doh show him de man, my tailor is class

Just show him de corner whey de fella pass

And he go make a suit, dat is tailor (Lord Nelson "King Liar") -----

8) Somewhere up in Laventille

Many years ago

A man had a hammer

Used to follow him to and fro (David Rudder "De Hammer") -----

9) He happy like a puppy when he dream another dream (Mighty Shadow "Poverty is hell")

10) Bringing so much joy to every son and daughter

Say we're going to rise again like a raging fire (David Rudder "Rally Round the West Indies")