Name _____ Date _____

Simile or Metaphor

Write the whole word for which one it is on the line.

1. "Juliet is the sun." (Shakespeare, Romeo and Juliet.) _____
2. Tracy felt as sick as a parrot. _____
3. "..the perfect sky is torn." (Natalie Imbruglia, "Torn")_____
4. The traffic is murder. _____
5. Tom is as deaf as a post. _____
6. "Life's but a walking shadow." (Shakespeare, Macbeth.) _____
7. She ran like the wind. _____
8. I'm as light as a feather. _____
9. "The sun's a thief." (Shakespeare, Timon of Athens.) _____
10. Kitty is the apple of her mother's eye. _____
11. "Death lies upon her like an untimely frost." (Shakespeare, Romeo and Juliet.)

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12. My feet are as warm as toast. _____
13. "There's more life in a tramp's vest." (Stereophonics, "more life in a tramp's vest.")

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14. Tom is deaf. (Some people say this when a person can hear but isn't listening.)

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15. "Everyday is a winding road " (Sheryl Crow, "Everyday is a winding road.")

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16. My eyes are blue as the sky. _____
17. "England is a fen of stagnant waters." (Wordsworth.) _____
18. "Their smiles, wan as primroses." (Keats.) _____
19. The cucumber is cool. _____
20. Your beauty shines like the sun. _____
21. "Love is blind, as far as the eye can see." (The Spice Girls, "Too Much.")

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22. She looked as pretty as a picture. _____
23. James was as cool as a cucumber. _____
24. His feet are as black as coal. _____

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