

Literature Assignment

Answer the following questions in complete sentences. All response should be based on the poem.

1. December

In far off lands

The cold winds prick and blow

(a) Name the poem from which the above lines are taken.

_____ [1]

b. Name the author of the poem.

_____ [1]

[c.] Do you think that the title of the poem is appropriate for the poem? Explain.

_____ [2]

d. "In far off land"

What does the above line refer to? Explain [2]

_____ [2]

6. Identify the literary device used in line three of the above quotation.

_____ [1]

7. What type of imagery is evident in the above lines?

_____ [1]

b. Quote the example of imagery.

_____ [1]

8. Why is the word 'December' placed on a line by itself? Explain.

[2]

9. And the gaunt trees take on
Their canopy of snow;

What word in the above lines lets the reader know that it is frigid?

[1]

10. What type of imagery is evoked by the above lines?

[1]

b. Write a brief description based on the above lines. [3]
