## **Using Similes**

Fill in the blanks with either AS or X

was excited a woman on her wedding day. She Had met Richard McCroskey, also known as Syko Sam and they became fast friends. What she didn't realize was that she was meeting a man police would be scared of. Richard McCroskey was a young man who dropped out of high school and was bullied for being shy. He was reserved a hibernating bear. He met Emma through Myspace where he promoted his music. In 2008, he was living at home and working wartime as a graphic designer while also self-producing music for his myspace platform. His famed lyrics read:
"You're not the first, just to let you know. I've killed many people and I kill them real slow. It's the best feeling, watching their last breath. Stabbing and stabbing till there's nothing left."
Emma was from Illinois and shortly moved to Virginia where she was homeschooled. In September of 2008, Emma met Richard and thus began their friendship. Emma was sweet pie and trusted Richard. A year past and the new hadn't met yet. It wasn't until September of 2009 that the two were to meet. They scheduled to meet at a music festival that was popular among Horrorcore fans. In October of 2009, Richard was charged with the murder of Emma and her best friend along with 4 other unidentified homicides. A witness expressed he "was rancid the devil". The families of the girls do not blame the hard core music genre, but the evil doings of a mentally ill young man.

