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Parts of Speech Review – Homework

Directions: Identify the part of speech for each underlined word in the following paragraphs. Write whether it is a *noun*=**N**, a *pronoun*=**Pr**, a *verb*=**V**, an *adjective*=**Adj**, an *adverb*=**Adv**, a *preposition*=**Pp**, a *conjunction*=**C**, or an *interjection*=**Int**. Write the **ABBREVIATION** for each speech part of **ABOVE** the underlined word.

The best friend a man has in the world may turn against him and become his enemy. His son or daughter whom he has reared with loving care may prove ungrateful. The money that a man has, he may lose. It flies away from him, perhaps when he needs it most. A man's reputation may be sacrificed in a moment of ill-considered action. The one absolutely unselfish friend that a man can have in this selfish world, the one that never deserts him, the one that never proves ungrateful or treacherous is his dog. Yes, a man's dog stands by him in prosperity and in poverty, in health and in sickness. He will sleep on the cold ground, where the wintery winds blow and the snow drives fiercely, if only he may be near his master's side. When all other friends desert, he remains. Oh, when riches take wings, and reputation falls to pieces, he is as constant in his love as the sun in its journey through the heavens. And when the last scene of all comes, and death takes his master, no matter if all other friends pursue their way, there by the graveside will the noble dog be found, his head between his paws, his eyes sad, but open in alert watchfulness, faithful and true even in death.