**Help Sheet**

**Name:**

**Four types of rhyme:**

**End**--the use of rhyme at the ends of lines of poetry

**Slant**—near rhyme; similar words, but not identical sounds. Hold/Bald, Shot/Lot

**Eye**—similar spelling, but different sound. lint/pint

have/grave. stone/none

**Identical**—sounds and syllables must be identical. Sky/High, Skylight/Highlight

The Raven by Edgar Allan Poe

Once upon a midnight dreary, while I pondered, weak and weary,

Over many a quaint and curious volume of forgotten lore—

    While I nodded, nearly napping, suddenly there came a tapping,

As of some one gently rapping, rapping at my chamber door.

“’Tis some visitor,” I muttered, “tapping at my chamber door—

            Only this and nothing more.”