

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Period \_\_\_\_\_

## **TP-CASTT *Practice***

<b>Title</b>	Ponder the title before reading the poem
<b>Paraphrase</b>	Translate the poem into your own words
<b>Connotation</b>	Contemplate the poem for meaning beyond the literal (Interpretation)
<b>Attitude</b>	Observe both the speaker's and the poet's attitude (tone, diction, images, mood, etc.)
<b>Shifts</b>	Note shifts in speakers and in attitudes (are there changes?)
<b>Title</b>	Examine the title again, this time on an interpretive level
<b>Theme</b>	Determine what the poet is saying

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Period \_\_\_\_\_

## **TP-CASTT *Personal Poem***

<b>Title</b>	Ponder the title before reading the poem
<b>Paraphrase</b>	Translate the poem into your own words
<b>Connotation</b>	Contemplate the poem for meaning beyond the literal (Interpretation)
<b>Attitude</b>	Observe both the speaker's and the poet's attitude (tone, diction, images, mood, etc.)
<b>Shifts</b>	Note shifts in speakers and in attitudes (are there changes?)
<b>Title</b>	Examine the title again, this time on an interpretive level
<b>Theme</b>	Determine what the poet is saying