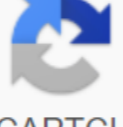


# Metaphors in the tell tale heart

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There are many rhetorical devices in Edgar Allan Poe's Heart of History that make up this story. It is very interesting to see the short story and choose its parts and be able to say that they are classified as in literature. The seven rhetorical devices that can be found many times in The Tell-Tale Heart are amplification, apophaz, epithet, hyperbole, metaphor, brackets, and rhetorical question. In this story, you can find an amplification that repeats a word or expression, adding more detail to it to emphasize what might otherwise have been conveyed. Amplification occurs many times within the heart of the story. An example of gain in this story is when the speaker wants the person he recognizes to understand how important certain parts of his story are. I spoke faster - more fiercely; but the noise grew steadily. I stood up and argued about the little things, in a high key, and with violent gesticulations, but the noise was steadily increasing. The Speaker must constantly use the reinforcement, because he is desperate to convince his listener that he is not crazy. He can't convince anyone, because as the story goes on, he delves into his madness. The next rhetorical device that can be found in this story is the apophaz, which asserts or emphasizes something, pointing out that it passes, ignores or denies it. This has been going on throughout history because the speaker is constantly trying to deny his madness to the point that he actually thinks he's not crazy. Really! - nervous -- very, very terribly nervous I was and I. But why would you say I'm angry? The disease sharpened my feelings - not destroyed - did not dull them. First of all, there was a sense of hearing acute. I've heard everything in heaven and on earth, I've heard a lot of things in hell. How am I angry then? Hearken! and watch how cool it is -- how calmly I can tell you the whole story. Another rhetorical device that can be found in the history of the epithet. The epithet is an adjective or adjective phrase appropriately characterization of an item (noun), naming a key or an important characteristic of an object. An important epithet in history is when he describes his nervousness. He describes himself as terribly nervous. Hyperbole is another rhetorical device found in the Heart of the Story. Hyperbole, an analogue of understatement, intentionally exaggerates the conditions for accent or effect. The official letter of hyperbole should be clearly intended as an exaggeration. While the example of hyperbole found in the Heart of the Story is an exaggeration, it is also a very important part of the story. He describes the eye that he claims is the reason why he killed the old man as evil This is certainly not the case. The eye that the old man is just a false eye, but the speaker is convinced that the eye is evil, and that the only way for the eyes to be destroyed is for him to kill the old man. Another rhetorical device found in the Heart of the Story is a metaphor. The metaphor compares two different things, talking about one from the point of view of the other. Unlike analogies or analogies, the metaphor argues that one is another thing, not just what one is like the other. He had the eye of a vulture-pale blue eye, with a film over it. Here the speaker says that the false eye is that the old man is that vulture. This is a very significant comparison, because the vulture is usually turned out to be an evil bird and is associated with evil in literature. Therefore, it makes sense for the speaker to say that the eye is the eye of the vulture, because he believes that the eye is evil. Parenthesis is another rhetorical device found in this short story. By uses brackets a lot in The Tell-Tale Heart. Parenthesis is the final form of hyperbaton, composed of a word, phrase, or whole sentence inserted as a side in the middle of another sentence. An example of this use in The Tell-Tale Heart is I unbuttoned the lantern-oh, so gently -carefully (for the loops creaked) - I unbuttoned it so much that one thin beam fell on the eye of the vulture. Here Po uses brackets to explain why the speaker is unbuttoning the lantern so carefully. The last rhetorical device that can be found in the history is a rhetorical question. The rhetorical question differs from the hypophora in that the writer does not answer it, because his answer is obvious or clearly aspirational, and usually just yes or no. It is used for effect, accent or provocation, or to make a conclusion from the data. An example of the rhetorical question in this story is when the speaker asks: Why would you say I'm crazy? Here, the speaker asks a question that he doesn't expect to answer because he thinks he's giving the person he recognizes a story that proves he's not crazy. There are still many rhetorical devices that can be found in The Tell-Tale Heart, but these are the ones that really seemed important to discuss. They are also the most significant rhetorical device in history in my opinion. They bring up many important parts of history and knowing what these parts in history are classified as, makes history easier to understand. Responding to a bookragstutor question on August 20 04:25 Login in response answered Jill D on 07 April 16:40 An example of metaphor: His room was black as a step with thick darkness . . . Tell-Tale Heart In order to continue to enjoy our site, we ask you to confirm your identity as a person. Thank you so much for In order to continue to use our website, we ask you to confirm your identity as a person. Thank you so much for your cooperation. 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