**Claim - Evidence - Reason**

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| **Prompt: Based upon the words chosen and the message of the poem, what do you think is the main metaphor of the piece?** |
| **Claim:** What is your stance on the question above and why? |
| **Evidence:** Using the facts listed in the poem and prior knowledge, what **evidence supports your claim?** |
| **Reasoning: What is your reasoning? How does the evidence support your claim?** |