

“The Lonely Land” Vocabulary

Barb- A sharp point projecting backward from a main point.
Batter- To beat repeatedly.
Cedar- Any of several Old World, coniferous trees having wide, spreading branches.
Curdle- To thicken and separate into liquids and solids.
Dissonance- Inharmonious or harsh sound.
Fir- Any coniferous tree belonging to the pine family, characterized by its flat needles and erect cones.
Jagged- Having a sharply uneven edge or surface.
Mate- One member of a breeding pair of animals.
Passionate- Having, showing, or expressing strong emotions or beliefs.
Ragged- Having an edge or surface that is rough or uneven.
Resonance- The quality of a sound that stays loud, clear, and deep for a long time.
Spume- Bubbles that form on ocean waves.
Strand- The land bordering the sea, a lake, or a river.
Tone- Quality or character of sound.
Uplift- To lift up.
Whirl- To turn rapidly in a circular motion.

Summarize what happens in each of the stanzas of the poem

Stanza One-
Stanza Two-
Stanza Three-
Stanza Four-

