



Silent Bells



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Lesson : POEM-The Ballad of Father Gilligan

LOs :To develop aesthetic sense .To develop an awareness about ballads.



ACTIVITY 1

Read the stanzas 5 to 8 and answer the following questions:

1. “*They slowly into millions grew*”

What are “they” referred to here?

2. “*And God covered the world with shade*”

What idea do you get about the time mentioned in the line above?

3. What does the line “*And he rode with little care*” indicate?

4. What did the sick man’s wife say when she saw father Gilligan?



William Butler Yeats

ACTIVITY 2

‘he turned and died *as merry as a bird*’

In this line the poet uses a comparison. It is called *simile*.

Simile

Comparison of two things using the words **like or as**.

The flower is *as white as a dove*.

The girl sings *like an angel*.



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Frame sentences with examples of simile using the following words.

beautiful
small
big

strong
simple
intelligent

ACTIVITY 3

Imagery- Language that makes people imagine pictures in their minds. They appeal to our senses of **sight, sound, taste, touch and smell.**

Read the poem from

‘They slowly into millions grew’ to ‘Father! You come again’

Pick out instances of visual and auditory images from the lines.

Visual Images	Auditory Images



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ACTIVITY 4

Complete the character map of Father Gilligan

benevolent



pious

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