Metaphysical Poetry

wit, Donne, rhyme scheme, seventeenth, sin, a loved person, love, moral, simple, speakers,

1) Fill in the gaps with the words from the box.

Metaphysical poetry is a modern term to describe a poetry style from the

century. The poets question religion and

and often discussed

the matters with God or

. They intensively used

and metaphors to express themselves. These metaphors

examined

and religious questions. Their verse form was

. Line and

enforced

the sense of the poems. In John

poems it was

typical that the voice of the

and the author were not

easily identifiable. In his religious poetry Donne is concerned with

Check this YouTube video to find more information on metaphysical poetry including some examples of metaphors and moral questions.



Who am I? Why am I here? What is my sense in life?

metaphysical authors



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is a poetic style in which philosophical and spiritual subjects were approached with reason and often concluded in paradox.