**Figurative Language Exam Passages and Word Bank**

**Directions:**

* **Talking= 0 Cell Phone= 0 On another website= 0**
* **Read each poem: “To My Dear and Loving Husband” and “Hope is the thing with feathers.”**
* **Answer the multiple choice questions for each. The questions will indicate the poem they relate to. (You will know when the questions shift to the next poem)**
* **DO NOT hit submit until you are done.**
* **Click on “NAVIGATION” to go back and check questions.**
* **You will also have questions where you need to write what literary device is being defined. DO NOT pluralize it! It is WRONG if you spell is WRONG.**
* **Here is your word bank:**
  + **Simile**
  + **Metaphor**
  + **Personification**
  + **Anaphora**
  + **Epistrophe**
  + **Alliteration**
  + **Juxtaposition**
  + **Paradox**
  + **Irony**
  + **Dichotomy**
* **Here are your two poems:**

**To my Dear and Loving Husband by Anne Bradstreet**

If ever two were one, then surely we.   
If ever man were lov'd by wife, then thee.   
If ever wife was happy in a man,   
Compare with me, ye women, if you can.   
I prize thy love more than whole Mines of gold   
Or all the riches that the East doth hold.   
My love is such that Rivers cannot quench,   
Nor ought but love from thee give recompense \*   
Thy love is such I can no way repay.  
The heavens reward thee manifold, I pray.   
Then while we live, in love let's so persevere  
That when we live no more, we may live ever.

* Recompense means to reward or compensate.

**“Hope” is the thing with feathers -**

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“Hope” is the thing with feathers -

That perches in the soul -

And sings the tune without the words -

And never stops - at all -

And sweetest - in the Gale - is heard -

And sore must be the storm -

That could abash the little Bird

That kept so many warm -

I’ve heard it in the chillest land -

And on the strangest Sea -

Yet - never - in Extremity,

It asked a crumb - of me.