

Poetic Analysis

*I can't remember anything
Can't tell if this is true or dream
Deep down inside I feel to scream
This terrible silence stops me*

*Now that the war is through with me
I'm waking up, I cannot see
That there is not much left of me
Nothing is real but pain now*

*Back in the womb it's much too real
In pumps life that I must feel
But can't look forward to reveal
Look to the time when I'll live*

*Fed through the tube that sticks in me
Just like a wartime novelty
Tied to machines that make me be
Cut this life off from me*

*Now the world is gone, I'm just one
Oh God help me
Hold my breath as I wish for death
Oh please God, help me*

*Darkness imprisoning me
All that I see
Absolute horror
I cannot live I cannot die
Trapped in myself Body my holding
cell*

1) What type of poem is this? _____

What characteristics make it this type of poem?

2) Name the rhyme scheme for the entire poem, using letters (ex. A-B-A-B):

Stanza 1: _____

Stanza 2: _____

Stanza 3: _____

Stanza 4: _____

Stanza 5: _____

Stanza 6: _____

3) Name as many poetic devices as you can and where it is located (line #)

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