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| What I read Page # | Connections  This reminds me …  I remember … | My connection helps me understand the text because … |
| p. 576 | I have seen scaffolds on construction sites and the workers climbing around on them to build houses. When they are done, they remove the scaffold and you see a nice new house. | It helps me understand the comparison (metaphor) the speaker is making in the poem. When you build a relationship with somebody, it might not be so strong at first. But like a wall that is built using a scaffold to support it, the relationship gets stronger and stronger until it is as solid as a brick wall. |
| p. 578 | It reminds me of my feelings for my family. If I didn’t have my family, the world would not be a good place to live in. | I understand the point the speaker is trying to make. Everybody wants to have somebody they can love and that loves them back. It makes you happy. |
| p. 579 | It reminds me of a fairy tale. He talks about a kingdom, I think of Annabel as a princess. | It helps me understand the strong love the speaker has for Annabel and how magical this love is for him. |
| p.580 | The words he uses like killing, chilling, demons, sepulcher remind me of a horror movie. | This helps me understand the sorrow and grief the speaker is feeling after the death of Annabel Lee. |