

Sonnet 73, 116 & Poetry Focus Statements

Sonnet 73:

1. Summarize the question and tentative answer section.
2. Summarize the turn (9-12).
3. And summarize the final answer.
4. What are the tones of the poem? Are there two or are there three tones?
5. What two metaphors is this poet using to describe his love and their connection? Did you already spot it?

Sonnet 116:

1. Summarize the question and tentative answer section.
2. Summarize the turn (9-12).
3. And summarize the final answer.
4. What are the tones of the poem?
5. How is time personified? Why is that important?

6. How does the iambic meter help make the meaning and the tone?

Poetry Focus statement:

An easier way to do this is...