

## Love In Lines Answer Key

### 1. Central Idea of Love

- Model Answer: Both works express the idea of enduring love and the importance of remembering it, even in the face of time or uncertainty.
- *Teacher Note:* Students should see "lasting love" as the theme.

### 2. Tone Comparison

- Model Answer: The sonnet has a formal, eternal, and serious tone ("My love for you will never fade away"), while the song lyric has a casual, present-focused, and emotional tone ("We don't need forever, just this song").
- *Teacher Note:* Look for contrast between timeless devotion vs. fleeting intensity.

### 3. Imagery

- Model Answer: The sonnet uses natural and cosmic imagery (dawn, frost, sea, stars) to show love's permanence, while the song lyric uses modern, digital and musical imagery (scrolling, posts, song, beats) to show love in the present moment.
- *Teacher Note:* Students should note genre-based imagery differences.

### 4. Structure

- Model Answer: The sonnet's strict structure (rhyme scheme, 14 lines) emphasizes order, tradition, and permanence. The song lyric's looser structure mirrors spontaneity, rhythm, and emotional immediacy.
- *Teacher Note:* Accept answers that link structure to how love is framed: enduring vs. fleeting.

### 5. Modern Audience Connection

- Model Answer: A modern audience might connect more to the song lyric because of its references to technology and emphasis on living in the moment. However, some may still appreciate the timeless devotion of the sonnet.
- *Teacher Note:* Allow either choice as long as reasoning is clear.