

Third

ambiguity  
n.

pronoun  
antecedent

## Because You Asked about the Line Between Prose and Poetry

41

lines  
stanzas

not reader; same people?

2-3

Sparrows were feeding in a freezing drizzle

That while you watched turned to pieces of snow

Riding a gradient invisible

From silver aslant to random, white, and slow.

There came a moment that you couldn't tell.

And then they clearly flew instead of fell.

Speak  
discern X

Fourth

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Prose and Poetry *not reader; same?*

*4* *line stanza*

*2-3*

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*1. Speech "story"*  
*2. Discreet*

Fifth

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4 lines stanzas  
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a) tell a story  
b) disrupt  
see diff.

Sixth

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4 Stanzas

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1 tell story (say)  
2 discern

$x:y :: a:b$

prose: drizzle :: poetry: ~~rain~~ snow

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words  $H_2O$

6 <sup>lack of clarity</sup> Ambiguity Remove ambiguity

④ PRONOUN antecedent

he ✓ that ✓  
she ✓ which ✓  
it ✓ who ✓

noun replaced

b) multiple meanings

6 Remove ambiguity

a) Pronoun antecedent

<u>replaces</u>	noun
he	that
she	which
it	what
them	who

noun replaced

b) multiple meanings



## 6) Remove ambiguity

a) pronoun antecedent

replace nouns

word replaced

I	you	that
we	he	she
those		
they	them	which
		what

b) multiple meanings



