

Similes or metaphors

Grade 4 Vocabulary Worksheet

Beside each sentence, write **S** for similie or **M** for metaphor.

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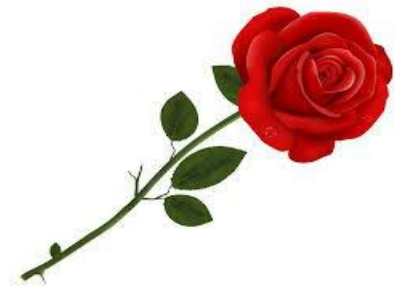
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_____ Life is but a dream.

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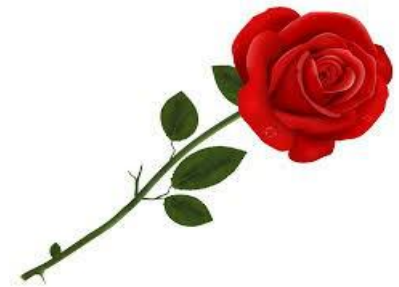
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