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| **Figurative Language** | **Example Quote** | **Impact on Poem** |
| **Metaphor****(just one, not extended)** |  |  |
| **Symbol** |  |  |
|  | “And reachin landin’sAnd turnin corners” |  |
| **Repetition** |  |  |

**Figurative Language Analysis**

*“Mother to Son” by Langston Hughes*

1. Which line in the poem supports the poems theme? Include the specific line and what the theme is that it is supporting.
2. Explain the meaning of the extended metaphor. Use textual evidence to support how you know.
3. List qualities that describe the Mother. Use direct quotes from the poem that prove your answer.