



## ANSWERS

1. It is a ballad
2. It is written in loose, short ballad stanzas usually either four or six lines long but, occasionally, as many as nine lines long. The meter is also somewhat loose, but odd lines are generally tetrameter, while even lines are generally trimeter.
3. It is a dramatic story about the journey of an old sailor who stops people on their way into a party to describe a sea voyage he once took in which the ship was lost and everyone on board except himself died.
4. dialogue, word and phrase repetition, and patterns of rhyme and rhythm.
5. he emphasizes the supernatural and uses elevated sound devices.