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**Characteristics of Dark Romanticism.**

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| **Dark Romanticism Traits** | **Examples from Simpson’s “Raven”** |

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| 1. Theme of Mystery |  |
| 2. Theme of Skepticism of Man |  |
| 3. Theme of Macabre: disturbing through death & injury |  |
| 4. Found the darkness & evil in aspects (evil taking over good) |  |
| 5. Individuals prone to sin & self-destruction |  |
| 6. Natural world portrayed as dark, decaying, and mysterious |  |
| 7. Man failing at attempts to make changes for the better |  |
| 8. Human psyche attracted to: horror, tragedy, macabre, supernatural |  |
| 9. Creepy symbols |  |
| 10. Theme of Pain |  |
| 11. Theme of Tragedy |  |
| 12. Theme of The Supernatural |  |
| 13. Psychological Effects: guilt & sin |  |