Themes in power & conflict poetry

Remember most poems could fit most themes

Human power

My Last Duchess = kills

Ozymandias = only whilst alive

Checking out my history = choose education

Tissue = we make power

Power of nature

Kamikaze = influences

The Prelude = Fear

Tissue

Storm on the Island = destructive

Exposure = weather is enemy

Effects

Charge = wounded / killed

Poppies = pain at loss

Remains = distressed from killing

War photographer = agony of what saw

Reality

Charge = brave

Bayonet Charge = confused

Remains = memory

Exposure = frightened

Loss / sadness

Kamikaze = loss of family (rejected)

Poppies = loss of son

The Emigree = place

Bayonet Charge = beauty destroyed

Exposure = loss of home

By Fighting

Memory

Kamikaze = positive/power

Remains = haunted

The Emigree = positive

War Photographer = Difficult

Individual Experience

Bayonet Charge = alone

The Prelude = alone

London == negative

War Photographer = reflection

Identity

My Last Duchess

Charge

Poppies

Emigree

Kamikaze

Checking

Tissue