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Read and enjoy the poem. The Skylark by Christina Rossetti. Then read it again, and again!  
Respond to the following questions.

1. What season could it be? What makes you think that?

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2. What is a skylark?

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3. What does the poet mean by the line:

‘A skylark hang between the two’?

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4. Why is the skylark like a ‘speck’?

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5. What is being described as a stage?

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6. What does the word 'soars' mean?

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7. What can the poet see on either side of her?

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8. What is happening to the daylight when the poet describes it with  
'While swift the sunny moments slid'?

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9. Who do you think is 'his mate'?

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10. What do you think the skylark's song was like?

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