

Heaney's birth-death 1939-2013

Heaney's place of birth County Derry, Northern Ireland

Heaney's religion Catholic

Field Work was published in 1979

Heaney's wife was Marie Devlin

Met and married? 1962, 1965

Prize? Won Nobel Prize for Literature 1995

Long period of conflict in Ireland is called The Troubles

Dates of The Troubles 1968-1998

How did The Troubles end? Signing of the Good Friday Agreement

Bloody Sunday happened on January 30th, 1972

Casualties of Bloody Sunday? 13 on the day, another a few months after

Heaney's second cousin was called Colum McCartney

Colum McCartney was killed In a sectarian attack, 1975

The elegy for Colum McCartney is called 'The Strand at Lough Beg'

Louis O'Neill was An eel fisherman who drank in Heaney's 'm-laws' pub

Louis O'Neill died In a bombing 3 days after Bloody Sunday

The elegy for Louis O'Neill is called 'Casualty'

Sean Armstrong was Friend of Heaney, shot in forehead

The elegy for Sean is called 'A Postcard From North Antrim'

David Hammond was A good friend of Heaney. Singer

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