Sentence Structure #2

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| *Type of sentence structure* | *Examples* | *Effect* |
| Rhetorical Question | “Although I have to admit he didn’t lay a hand on me, but yell? Boy, that man could yell.”  “Makes a person edgy, you know?” | -forces the reader to stop, pause and think therefore it emphasizes the idea contained in the question.  -slows the pace  -draws the reader closer to the perspective of the narrator |
| Parallelism  -when some part of the sentence structure is repeated within one sentence, parallelism is used. | “About twelve thirty the lights of his half-ton would come shooting into the living room, bouncing off the walls, scooting along the ceiling when he wheeled into the driveway like a madman.” | -descriptive  -the rhythm adds emphasis to the details that are used  -often the relationships between the various ideas in the sentence are reinforced |