

Droighneach

Deciding Destiny

- a Adorable angels divinely dwell heavenly.
- b Devoted devils hack hell perspiring.
- a Eager Earthlings take tests evenly? ..
- b Hounding Head Start or press silver spoon aspiring.
- c Will wings or horn borne win? Wimp?
- d Serenely sing or scandalously scorned prevail?
- c Forced free will? Dulled dunces? Strong? Limp?
- d Eagerly enforced, licentious long to no avail?

Droighneach (draiy-nach) Irish. 9-13 syllables per line. Ends with trisyllable word.
Rhyme Scheme: rhyme between line 1 and 3 and 2 and 4 etc, At least two cross rhymes per couplet. Also alliteration in each line. Final word in each line alliterates with preceding stress word. Does so in last line in stanzas. Any number of stanzas. The poem ends with the first syllable, word or line it begins. Not perfectly executed in this example.