

Name _____ **Chiasmus**



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Use words from the box to complete the paragraph.

same words	crossed	grammar
antimetabole	symmetrical	inverted
concepts	inverted	parallel

The word “chiasmus” comes from a Greek word that means

“_____.” Chiasmus is a literary device in which the _____ of one phrase is _____ in the phrase that follows, so two key _____ from the original phrase _____ in the second phrase in inverted order. Chiasmus uses _____ structure, and is very _____. In the most common type of chiasmus, _____, the _____ are repeated in inverse order in both sides of the grammatical structure.