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## Lost in the Crowd

### Short Answer Key

1. The speaker feels overwhelmed and disconnected from the noise and crowds in the city.
2. The speaker describes themselves as "invisible in this bustling town" because they feel unnoticed and unacknowledged by the strangers around them.
3. The city represents a place where the speaker's loneliness is heightened and where they feel lost and disconnected from others.
4. The phrase "wearing their loneliness like a heavy crown" suggests that the speaker carries their loneliness with them constantly, and it weighs them down emotionally.
5. The poem does not provide specific details about how the speaker copes with their loneliness, leaving it open to interpretation.

