

# 100 Motif Examples

## **Nature and Environment**

1. Rising and setting sun
2. Storms and natural disasters
3. Blooming flowers
4. Seasons changing
5. Rivers flowing
6. Forests
7. Animals (e.g., crows, wolves)
8. Mountains
9. Ocean waves
10. The moon

## **Time and Cycles**

1. Clocks and watches
2. Passing seasons
3. Rebirth and renewal
4. Time loops
5. Sand in an hourglass
6. Day and night
7. Eternal recurrence
8. Aging
9. Full circle moments
10. Shadows lengthening

## **Religious and Spiritual**

1. Crosses
2. Angels and demons
3. Prayer beads
4. Temples or shrines
5. Light vs. darkness
6. Divine interventions
7. Sacred rituals
8. The afterlife
9. Pilgrimages
10. Prophecies

## **Love and Relationships**

1. Heart shapes
2. Wedding rings
3. Red roses
4. Love letters
5. Star-crossed lovers
6. Betrayal
7. Reunions
8. Family heirlooms
9. Unrequited love
10. First kisses

## **Death and Mortality**

1. Skulls
2. Ghosts
3. Graveyards
4. Funeral processions
5. Rotting fruit
6. Memento mori
7. Black veils
8. Death as a figure (e.g., Grim Reaper)
9. Coffins
10. Fading photographs

## **Conflict and War**

1. Swords and shields
2. Battlefields
3. Marching armies
4. Bloodstains
5. Broken weapons
6. Victory flags
7. Cannons
8. Sacrifice
9. War cries
10. Truces

## **Psychological and Emotional**

1. Mirrors
2. Labyrinths
3. Dreams and nightmares
4. Spirals
5. Masks
6. Split personalities
7. Locked doors
8. Windows
9. Fog or mist
10. Inner demons

## **Society and Culture**

1. Crowds
2. Kings and crowns
3. Masks at balls
4. Walls and barriers
5. Markets
6. Flags
7. Books and scrolls
8. Thrones
9. Courtrooms
10. Fashion trends

## **Supernatural and Fantasy**

1. Magic spells
2. Wands
3. Portals
4. Mythical creatures
5. Glowing objects
6. Invisible forces
7. Enchanted forests
8. Curses
9. Prophetic dreams
10. Hidden realms

## **Technology and Modernity**

1. Flickering screens
2. Robots
3. Wires and circuits
4. Spaceships
5. Control panels
6. Neon lights
7. Artificial intelligence
8. High-rise buildings
9. Dystopian landscapes
10. Surveillance cameras