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| Types of Irony found in Edgar Allen Poe’s  “Cask of Amontillado” | | |
| Type of Irony | **Example** | **What effect does the use of this literary device have on the speech?** |
|  | * The narrator tells Fortunato how lucky he is to have run into him. * The narrator seems concerned about Fortunato’s health and even toasts to his longevity. * Montresor tell Fortunato he is indeed a mason. |  |
|  | * Fortunato’s name means fortune. * His jester attire becomes his funeral garb. * On the street above the catacombs, people are celebrating carnival season. |  |
|  | * Montresor smiles and seems pleased to see Fortunato. * Fortunato comments that he won’t die of his cough. * Fortunato endorses the Montresor family’s motto concerning the punishment of those who anger them. |  |