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# Identify Metaphors

**Directions:** Identify and underline the metaphors in each sentence. The first one has been done for you.

1. The moon was a lantern in the night sky.
2. His smile was a beacon of hope.
3. Gathering quickly, the storm clouds were ink spilled across the sky.
4. The full moon was a silver coin tossed into the night sky.
5. Jill's hair was a waterfall of golden silk falling down her back.
6. The piano keys were dancers beneath his fingers.
7. The snow softly fell, each snowflake a tiny ballerina pirouetting to earth.
8. The sun's glow is a warm hug.
9. The tiny squirrel's tail is a tufted sail waving about in the wind.
10. Echoing through the forest, the woodpecker's taps are nature's drumbeats.

