

"It couldn't Be Done" by Edger Guest discusses the importance of perseverance and self-reliance in a world filled with negativity. The poem includes imagery, symbolism, connotation, form, and sound devices to contribute to the overall topic of motivation.

The poem is about doing the things that have never been done before and the things that people say you could not do.

In the poem "somebody" says to the poet that "it" could not be done but the poet did not reply by making that thing done.

This "somebody" ~~says~~ ^{time} to time tries to convince the poet that he can not do certain things. But the poet proves him wrong by doing what "somebody" believed could not be done. It is uncertain as to what task was it said that it could not be done.

The poem is encouraging the readers to do things that never have been done before, even if everyone is

saying that it can not be done. The tone is motivational.