

UNKNOWN (BLACK BOX) FAMILY, METAPHOR

$\cup \circ \square = \text{A}$ $\Delta = \text{B}$ I like my black box = unknown metaphorical id.

\square unknown \times an unknown (thing) (noun cap) \square unknown (adj.)

over problem (barrier, but) broken

ignorant (mind) ignore

adventure \rightarrow to, ad-, go by a person - a going (venturing) into the unknown

death \leftrightarrow dead (alive)

secret (involves an unknown) lid

"some" in sense of "of unknown identity"

question (open) (closed)

ask (say) (answer)

I have \square for "solution" - a graphic opposite of over problem

Notes: Family group set family (he/she)

Δ metaphor After 20 or 30 tries at making a good id for

"metaphor" I have sculpted it down to something I like

METAPHOR

Δ is "field" (field). In metaphor the structure of one field is

carried over or applied to another field: MORE is UP (MORE AS UP)

LIFE AS A JOURNEY, etc. I used to write down both fields + try to

show metaphorical transfer of structure or relationship. But I

found that just representing the first field is adequate

is what I have for "carry" (bring take)

I use the \cup part of is to show meaning carried from one field

to another. So this compact id has a lot of ellipsis +

metonymy in it. To me, anyway, Δ is a satisfying solution

to representing the concept "metaphor" graphically

("phor" = Grk. pherein, to carry) So Δ is an etymid.