Intensive Pronouns

Intensive pronouns emphasize, or intensify, nouns and pronouns. Typically, we find them right after the noun they’re intensifying. These pronouns typically end in -self or -selves. They are:

• myself
• himself
• herself
• themselves
• itself
• yourself
• yourselves
• ourselves

For example:

• I **myself** like to travel.
• He **himself** is his worst critic.
• She approved the marriage **herself**.
• We went to hear W.B. Yeats **himself** speak.