

BUTTERFLIES



Butterflies
In all shapes and sizes—
Catching them as a kid
Is one of the best prizes.
They flap their wings
At the speed of light.
Blue, Red, Purple,
Green,
Or white
Any color to your delight.
Flying around in the sun
During Daylight.

Aaron T.

Grade 7



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BLOOM

Among the grass is where I come
To walk and skip and jump and
hum

An invisible hand has pushed the
icy season along

And the haze of winter has been
lifted

First comes the breeze, brisk and
bitter

Splaying seeds across the fields
like glitter

Water from the heavens feed the
seeds below

They blossom and bloom and
flourish and grow

Around this time flowers break
free of their armor

And in doing so, show their true
colors

The birds can now commence
their song

They have been gone for far too
long

Yes, Springtime has come

All around the air whispers of
possibility

It is a season of new life, I am
told

And the sight of the blossoming
buds never gets old



Sydney C.
Grade 12



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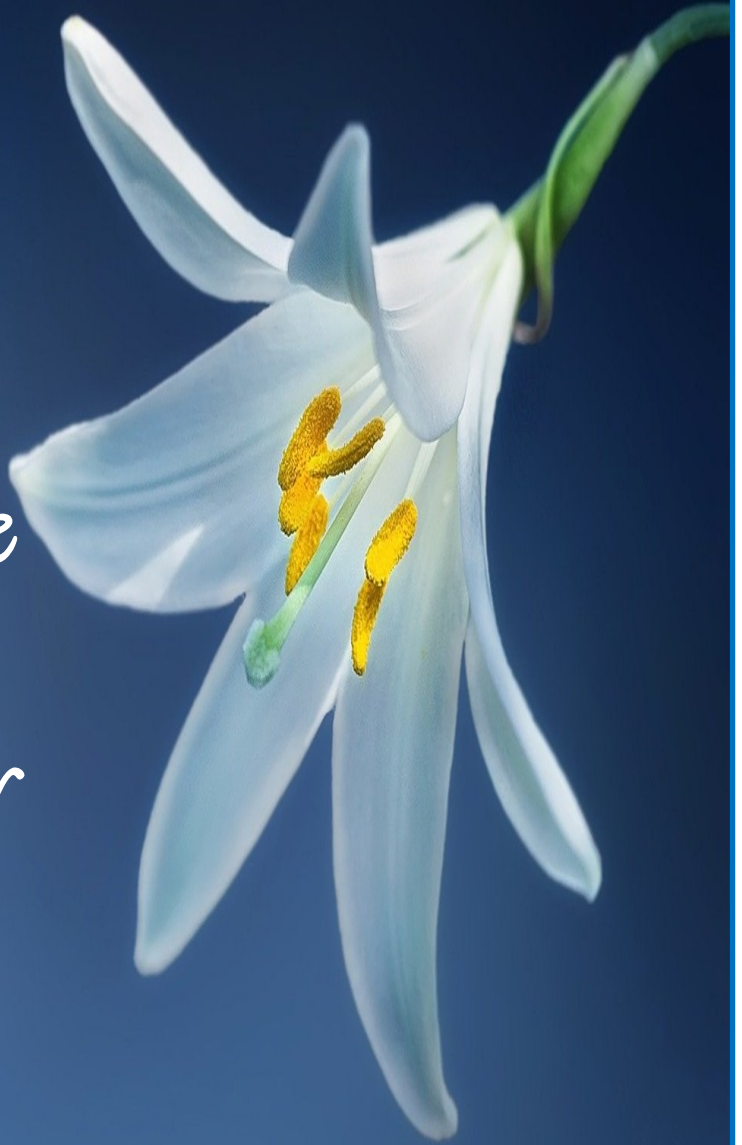
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WASHINGTON LAKE PARK

Surrounding
beauty
Natural peace
offering
Centering your
soul



Grace S.

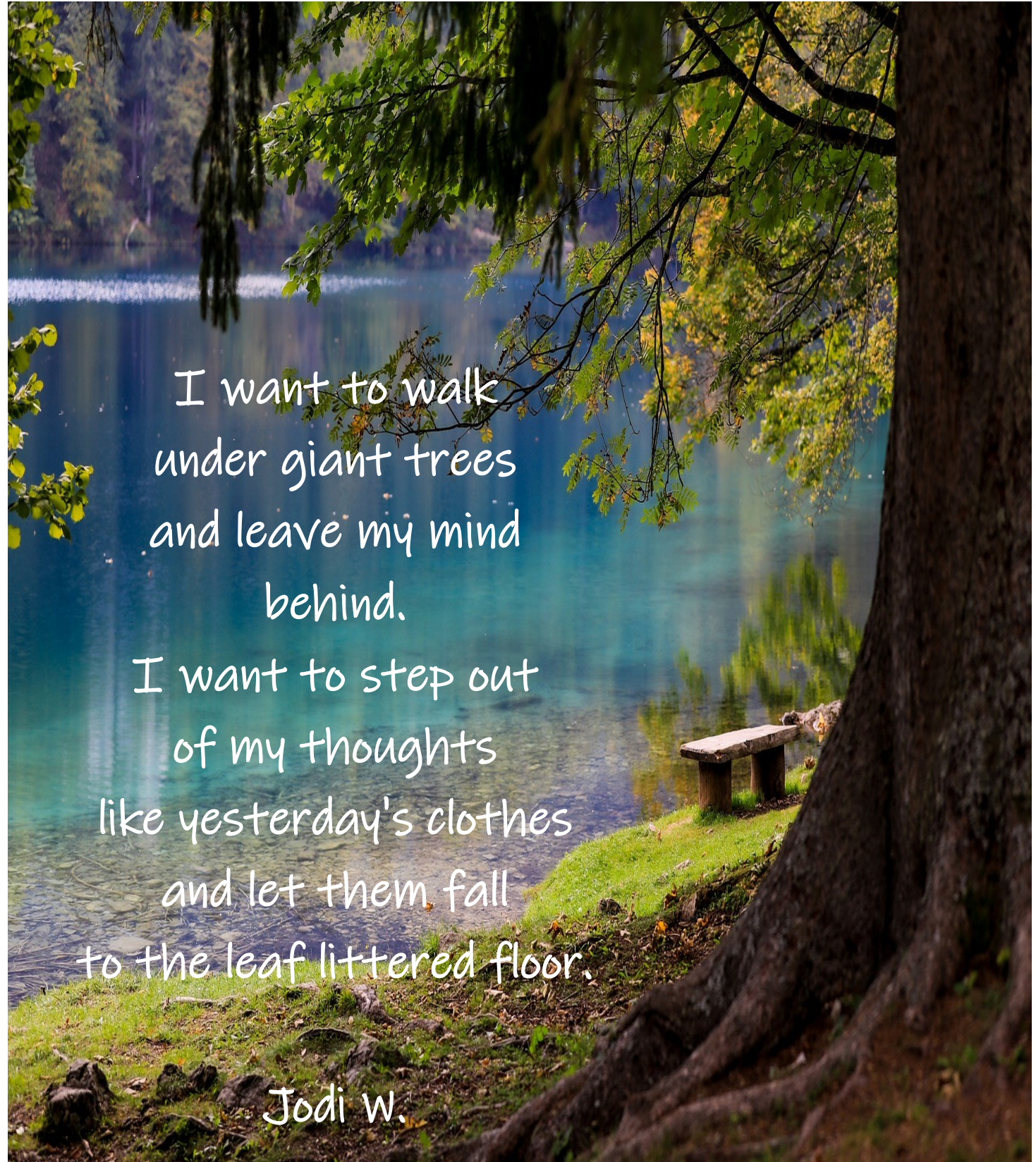


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I want to walk
under giant trees
and leave my mind
behind.

I want to step out
of my thoughts
like yesterday's clothes
and let them fall
to the leaf littered floor.

Jodi W.



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BOOKS

Helene H.
Grade 12

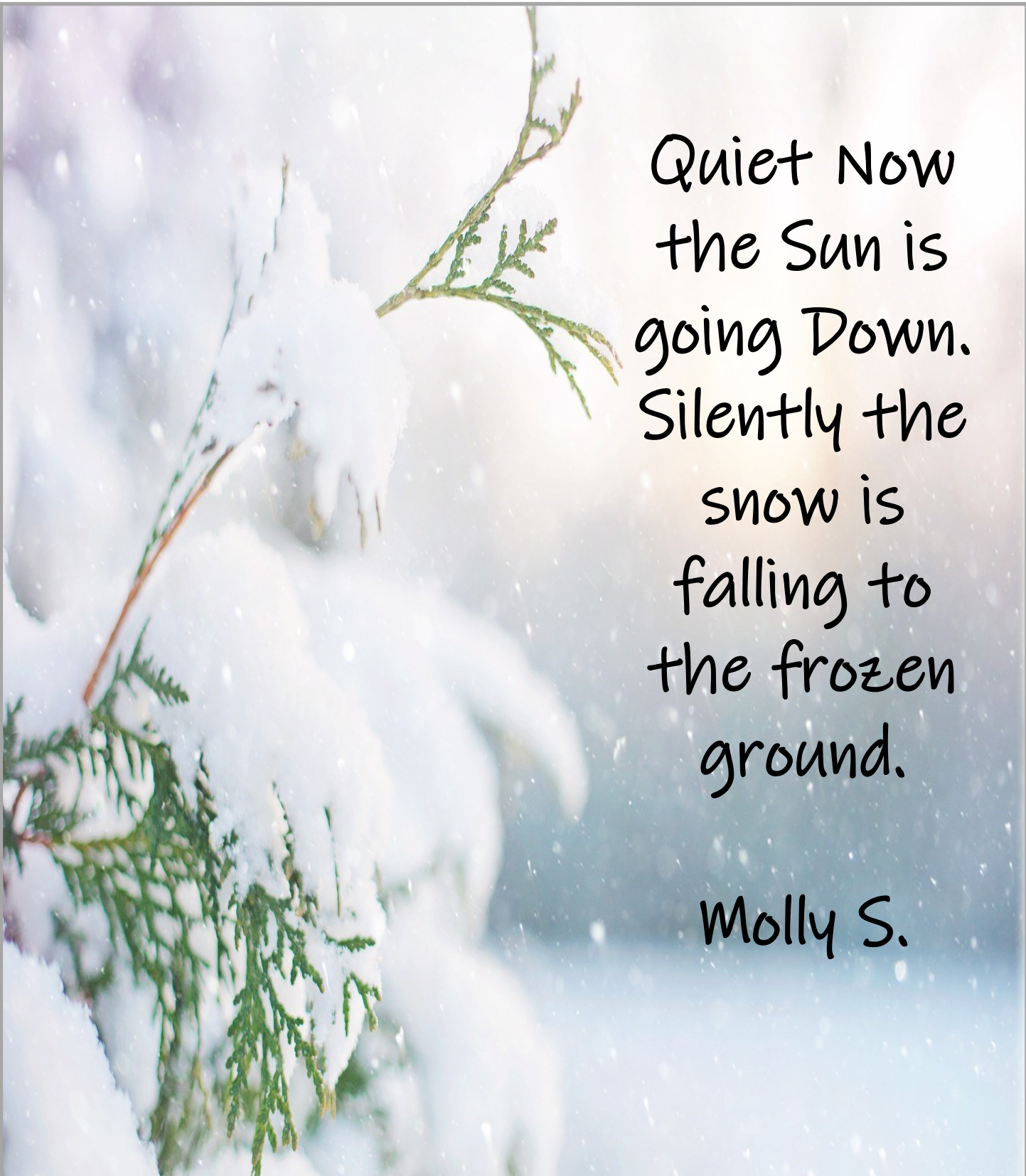
When I read a book
in my private little nook,
I travel far and wide
as inventor, archer, bride.

Each one presents a brand-new world
that I explore with my body curled
around a story vivid and rich
whose plot goes on without a hitch.



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Quiet Now
the Sun is
going Down.
Silently the
snow is
falling to
the frozen
ground.

Molly S.



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**MY HEART IS BROKEN,
FOR WORDS NEVER SPOKEN
I GO THROUGH DAY AND NIGHT
WISHING FOR ONE MORE SIGHT.**

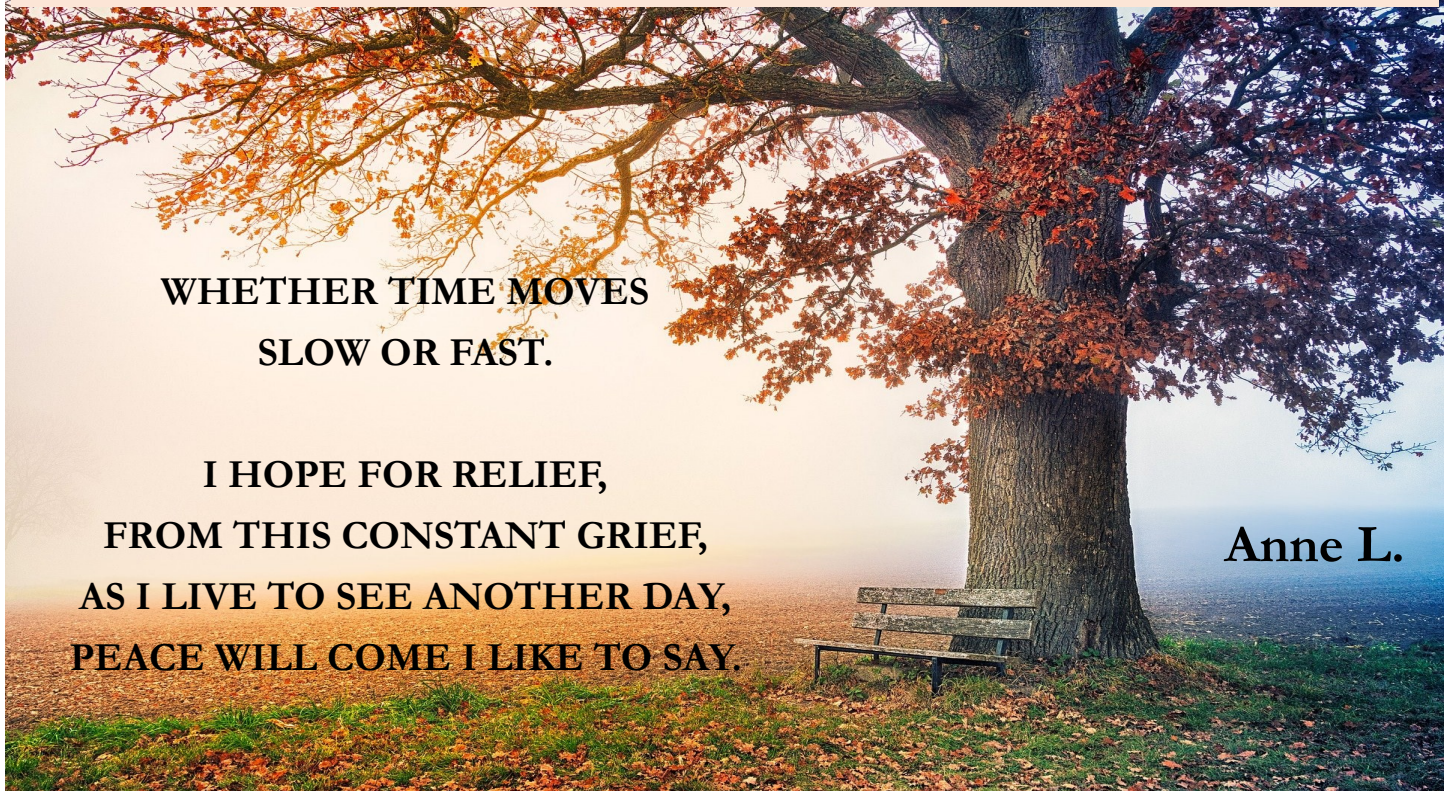
**TRY TO REMEMBER THINGS AS THEY ARE
THE MEMORIES FADE WHICH CAN BE HARD
FOCUS ON WHAT IS GOOD AND KIND
IS A MATTER OF CONTROL OF YOUR MIND.**

**PEOPLE SAY LIFE IS SUCH A MESS,
WITH MUCH SADNESS AND STRESS,
WE HAVE TO REMEMBER THAT THESE TIMES
WILL PASS,**

**WHETHER TIME MOVES
SLOW OR FAST.**

**I HOPE FOR RELIEF,
FROM THIS CONSTANT GRIEF,
AS I LIVE TO SEE ANOTHER DAY,
PEACE WILL COME I LIKE TO SAY.**

Anne L.



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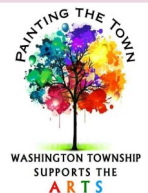
The Sweet Sound

You bring music to my ears everyday
My Fingers Glide across the black and white,
You bring me joy when I've no words to say
Something about you always seems just right.
I walk across the stage at time or two
I'm greeted by a gorgeous baby grand,
I press my fingers gently onto you
And suddenly a crowd begins to stand.
I walk away from you and say goodbye
But just for not because when I go home,
I'll go inside and see you through my eyes
And know that I can call you all my own.
You're my best friend and you will always be,
The piano forever stays with me.

Abigail M.
Grade 11



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