## **BEYOND THE SUNSET**

The sun is on the horizon The leaves no longer wave Rabbit hops ended in fun Elm leaves march is brave The armadillo misses the sun Squirrels head toward home The frog his friend on a hop Beaver boy crawls alone The elm tree waving came to a stop Milk cows walk in a row The night locust begins to sing Evening sun has gone low The hoot owl on a wing Water frogs lined up on a bank The coyote voice is loud Night crickets lined in a rank Full moon face shows proud.



# YOU'LL NEVER WALK ALONE

You will see the sun come up Birds chirp hello as you pass you'll never walk alone.



The rose bush waves as you pass Gentle wind is singing a refrain You'll never walk alone.

Cicadas humming a refrain

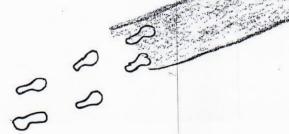
Moccasin footsteps say follow me

You'll never walk alone.



The hoot owl speaks as you walk by Evening loons skip the waves
You'll never walk alone.

Night time stars light your way
The moon will smile at you
You'll ever walk alone.



# I BELIEVE

For every dark cloud there is a ray of sunshine.

For every day of hard work there is rest.

For every cry there is laughter.

For every thorn there is a rose.

For every mountain there is a valley.

For every despair there is hope.

For every drop of rain there is a shower.

Behind every cloud there is a rainbow.

For every tear there is a prayer.

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### WINTER WONDERLAND

A time when leaves slowly drift down Evening dark comes in early Leaves change from green to brown The wind slow now says hurry Now pecans have begun to fall Geese slowly flying in a row You can hear the geese call The evening moon hanging low A morning frost now seen The frost in mornings look blue Cornstalks in the field now lean The corncobs now only a few Yard now turned to brown All flowers now gone to sleep We now see winter gone down This is truly Winter Wonderland.

#### FROM SEA TO SHINING SEA

I know automatic dishwashers are great, But what happened to the old time dishpan. Throw your dishwater to your plants, Savings on your bills will thrill your mate.

Every room doesn't have to have a TV on, What happened to playing games in the evening. Family bonding is a gain, This battle can be thoughtfully won.

Wash your glass and your plate, Paper plates don't have to be a must. Styrofoam plates also wash and drain, Money saved makes the world look great.

Double deck or duplex your abode, Concrete covers a lot of Mother Earth. What happened to the shotgun house, Come on people change your mode.

Concrete block houses are neat, Trees are still homes for birds. The ground burrows for animals, Watching animal life can't be beat.

Put some thoughts on what used to be, Our Earth is a finite product. Protect it as you would your brother, From sea to shining sea.

# **BEAUTIFUL LAND**

What rolling hills to see

Waters clear and blue

Down in the valley and lee

Leaves of all hue

Wild flowers in bloom

Down by a pond stands a deer

Between the hills no room

A baby deer standing near

Mother turkey herding chicks

The air clear and pure

What a day to walk and pick

A baby squirrel mother tries to lure

Walk slow and not quick

We live in a beautiful world.

#### THE STILL OF SUNDOWN

In the still of sundown

Sound of wings in flight

The moon casts a frown.

Wisp of fern touches your leg
Lowing of the owl soothes
The stars glow begs.

The dark in which corn grows

The small frog jumps ereingly
Silent shadows whisper low.

A twig crunches under the moccasin
The cricket signals to all
Coyote cubs asleep in the den.

A opossum has a silent step

Clouds gently roll by

The lovers secret kiss best kept.

All movement faded from sight

The gentle wind now a breeze Sundown now has become night.











