

THE SKY INSIDE MY MIND

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Poetry Lives

by Dai'Ja Allen

A poem lives
in a pencil
that is ready to write,

or on Bella's wings in heaven
with God.

The poem lives on a wall
of heaven, in Bella's red
beating heart.

In a box that has
never been opened.

In a diamond shining bright
in the sky.

In Ms. Morand's heart
when she is hugged.

Poetry lives in an eye
ready to blink.

I Am Saniya Coleman

by Saniya Coleman

I am a pencil ready
to draw a person's feelings.

I am a waterfall that
can show you life.

I am a drawing that
can show you a life story.

I am a poster that has a dream.
I am a dream ready to be lived.

I am a notebook ready
to be filled with knowledge.

I am a poem being written.
I am life ready to be lived.

I am a punctuation mark
waiting to fix a sentence.

Where Does Poetry Live?

by Austin Mashore

In the depths of a ravine
where spiders creep.

At the edge of the water
where the frogs go.

Inside the touch of
death's matter, or in a penny

waiting to be spent, a seed
waiting to be planted.

Inside the crown of a bull's horn
waiting to be knocked out.

You Are Like

by Destinylove White

You are like the plentiful
blue ocean when I am
the dry desert.

You are a fox with
a bushy tail and keen eyes
when I am blind.

You are a fluffy cloud
in the shape of a house
when I have no home.

You are a snake
that has pretty patterns when
I have no color.

Inside My Pencil

by Randy Zervos

Inside my magic pencil I saw pillows.
I lived in a pillow.
I was a pillow and I ate a pillow.
My car was a pillow.
Even the earth was a pillow.
All the planets were pillows.
I was so soft.
And we were the same pillows.
I love pillows.

Poem

by Adonis Chriswell

I am a truck
that never falls down.
You are a storm
that hurts me.

Inside My Pencil

by Aniya Ogden

Inside my pencil
I saw a ten-legged cat.
It had six eyes
and it was playing volley-
ball. It bounced
on Mr. Pete's head.
The cat stopped and looked down
and bounced off his head
and then it ran away.

I Am Aniya

by Aniya Ogden

I am a door to be opened.
I am a star and people look at me in the dark.
I am a cat driving a car.
I am a cookie dancing on a rainbow.
I am the moon looking like cheese.
I am a star and I twirl around.
I am a bird and I fly around.
I am a tree that can walk.