

Brevity: An Anthology of Poems - A Masterpiece of Concise Expression



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Brevity: An Anthology of Poems is a collection of over 200 poems that explore the power and beauty of brevity. The poems in this anthology are all under 100 lines, and they showcase the ability of poets to convey complex emotions and ideas in a concise and impactful way.

The poems in Brevity are drawn from a wide range of traditions and cultures, and they include works by both classic and contemporary poets. Some of the most notable poets featured in the anthology include Emily Dickinson, Robert Frost, William Carlos Williams, and Mary Oliver.

The poems in Brevity are organized into six sections:

1. Nature
2. Love

3. Loss
4. Memory
5. Time
6. Spirit

Each section explores a different aspect of the human experience, and the poems in each section offer a unique perspective on the theme.

The Power of Brevity

Brevity is often seen as a limitation, but the poets in this anthology show that it can be a source of great power. By stripping away the unnecessary, poets are able to focus on the essential elements of their work. This allows them to create poems that are both concise and impactful.

The poems in Brevity are a testament to the power of brevity. They show that it is possible to say a lot with a little, and that sometimes the most powerful words are the ones that are left unsaid.

Impactful Examples

Here are a few examples of the powerful poems that you will find in Brevity:



“"Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening" by Robert Frost

Whose woods these are I think I know. His house is in the village though; He will not see me stopping here To watch his woods fill up with snow.

***My little horse must think it queer To stop without a farmhouse
near Between the woods and frozen lake The darkest evening
of the year.***

***He gives his harness bells a shake To ask if there is some
mistake. The only other sound's the sweep Of easy wind and
downy flake.***

***The woods are lovely, dark and deep, But I have promises to
keep, And miles to go before I sleep, And miles to go before I
sleep. ”***

This poem is a perfect example of how brevity can be used to create a powerful and memorable work of art. Frost uses simple language and imagery to create a poem that is both beautiful and thought-provoking.



“"The Red Wheelbarrow" by William Carlos Williams

so much depends upon

a red wheel barrow

glazed with rain water

beside the white chickens ”

This poem is even shorter than "Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening," but it is just as powerful. Williams uses simple language and imagery to

create a poem that is both beautiful and mysterious.



“"Do Not Go Gentle into That Good Night" by Dylan Thomas

***Do not go gentle into that good night, Old age should burn and
rave at close of day; Rage, rage against the dying of the light.***

***Though wise men at their end know dark is right, Because
their words had forked no lightning they Do not go gentle into
that good night.***

***Good men, the last wave by, crying how bright Their frail deeds
might have danced in a green bay, Rage, rage against the
dying of the light.***

***Wild men who caught and sang the sun in flight, And learn, too
late, they grieved it on its way, Do not go gentle into that good
night.***

***Grave men, near death, who see with blinding sight Blind eyes
could blaze like meteors and be gay, Rage, rage against the
dying of the light.***

***And you, my father, there on the sad height, Curse, bless, me
now with your fierce tears, I pray, Do not go gentle into that
good night. Rage, rage against the dying of the light. ”***

This poem is a powerful meditation on death and the importance of living life to the fullest. Thomas uses strong language and imagery to create a poem that is both moving and inspiring.

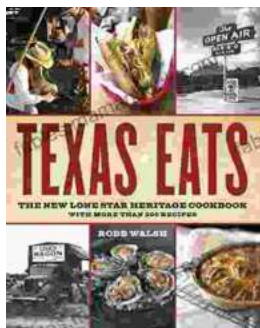
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