

## "I AM" Poem

Use descriptive words to create a poem in the format found below. Use a thesaurus to find interesting descriptive words (I loathe words like pretty, nice, etc.). Please take advantage of this opportunity to show your creativity!

Your poem is due: \_\_\_\_\_

Write your NAME as the title. Example:

Tania Jackson

I am (use two special characteristics you have).  
I wonder (tell about something you are actually curious about).  
I hear (tell an imaginary sound).  
I want (tell an actual desire).  
I am (repeat the first line).

I pretend (tell something you actually pretend to do).  
I feel (tell a feeling about something imaginary).  
I touch (tell an imaginary touch).  
I worry (tell something that really bothers you).  
I cry (tell something that makes you very sad).  
I am (repeat the first line).

I understand (tell something you know is true).  
I say (tell something you believe in).  
I dream (tell something you actually dream about).  
I try (tell something you really make an effort about).  
I hope (tell something you actually hope for).  
I am (repeat the first line).

## Bio Poem Structure

- Line 1:** First name only
- Line 2:** Four adjectives that describe you, your qualities, and what makes you unique
- Line 3:** Choose one of the lines below:  
Son/Daughter of (name of relative)  
Brother/Sister of (name of relative)  
Nephew/Niece of (name of relative)
- Lines 4-6:** (3 lines) Lover/Supporter of (three things, people, ideas)  
Be specific; use more than one-word responses  
*Example:* Lover of soccer, the world's fastest sport.
- Lines 7-9:** (3 lines) Who feels (three adjective phrases that describe emotions/feelings)  
*Example:* Who feels delighted whenever the bell rings before the teacher has assigned any homework!
- Lines 10-12:** (3 lines) Who fears (three items, each written in a descriptive phrase)  
*Example:* Who fears watching a horror movie in the dark when all alone on a cold, rainy night.
- Lines 13-15:** (3 lines) Who would like to see (three changes you'd want in the future; changes in your personal life, family, friends, home, school, and the world around you)  
*Example:* Who would like to see my family together.
- Line 16:** Resident of (city, state, country, planet, solar system, or...)
- Line 17:** Last name only

NOTE: Be creative, humorous, serious. Be yourself—unique.