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Who up?

A poem by Ellie McDonald.

Ding. Ding. Ding. The clock.

I am already awake.

What should I expect?

I watch the sunrise.

The grandeur catches my eye

Soothes my anxious mind.

Beautiful flower

Beautiful people

Beautiful memories

I inhale knowledge.

I learn to diversify.

I exhale freely.

Journals soaked in ink

Dripping with philosophy

Blending to form truth.

Beautiful flower

Beautiful people

Beautiful memories

Strong, honest, loyal

My military mentor

The woman we need

My perspective grows

I search for understanding

So many questions

Beautiful flower

Beautiful people

Beautiful memories

Teenagers who care

Creating bonds and networks

Catalysts for change

Wisdom surrounds me

The passion is contagious

Continuous awe.

Beautiful flower

Beautiful people

Beautiful memories

Ding. Ding. Ding. The clock.

I am already awake.

Who will I become?

I watch the sunrise.

Our future is in good hands.

Soothes my anxious mind.