

Poetry Series

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A Treasure Chest

Deep beneath the blue waters
Dwells an old sunken ship
In it lies a treasure chest
Greed and avarice at their best

Glinting silver coins aplenty,
Gold bars and a necklace pearly
Some diamond pins and a ruby ring
And a glittering crown fit for a king

An ivory fan and sapphire bracelets
Jeweled cups and emerald anklets
Heap upon heap, mound upon mound
There they lie, waiting to be found

The chest took lives of men depraved
And the treasure lies in a wet, muddy grave

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Anything Is Possible

The sky is not the limit

If you put your mind to it

Once there, it's just land beneath your feet.

Look yonder, there are galaxies beyond.

To be explored and conquered

Anything is possible

Reach above and touch the stars

Aim high and decide your own fate

Aspire, struggle and endeavor

Take your destiny in your own hands

Because anything is possible

Belief is all that's wanted.

An attempt is all that's required

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Enid Blyton Books Are Fun

When you begin to feel the need
Of wanting something good to read
Reach out for Enid Blyton books
And change your world as it looks
Such wonderful, magical, enchanted stories
Of witches, wizards, goblins and fairies
Of enchanted trees and faraway lands
Of desperate villains and robbers' bands
Tales of walking dolls and marching toys
Some of rude girls and some of naughty boys
Tales of mystery, adventure, fantasy and magic
Many are funny and just few are tragic
With suspects, clues and clever deductions
Help Fatty solve some mysterious abductions
Have amazing adventures and a great escape
With hair standing at the back of your nape
Whoosh away on the Wishing Chair
With Peter and Molly if you dare
Visit treasure isles on distant shores
Where smugglers plot behind closed doors

Enid Blyton books are a treat to read

Read one and you'll feel the need

To go on reading more and more

Till your shelf holds books galore

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Menace Of Plastic Bags

Plastic bags, plastic bags, they are everywhere.

We throw them, we burn them and they pollute the air.

From rivers and oceans, they come ashore.

They kill aquatic life and yet we ask for more.

Plastic bags, plastic bags, they are a disaster

Using them is destroying our environment a lot faster.

They clog the pipes and choke the drains.

They contain lead which damages our brains.

Plastic bags, plastic bags, oh what a mess has been made

Getting rid of them is a problem; they neither rot nor biodegrade

Choking our earth and causing many diseases

It is time that this madness ceases.

Plastic bags, plastic bags, what a source of pollution.

Let us stop for a moment and think of a solution

We have to stop spoiling our nature's beauty.

Because saving the Earth is everyone's duty.

Pizza Junkie

A pizza for breakfast, a pizza for lunch
A pizza for dinner, I would love to munch

Let it be round, let it be square
If it's a pizza, I really don't care

Pizza with pepperoni, pizza with cheese
I'll have another and more of these.

My pizza is hot, my pizza is yummy
Hear that growl? That's my tummy.

Thin crust or deep pan, vegetable or meat
Roasted or grilled, melting in the heat

Olives and tomatoes, onions and bell pepper
On Parmesan or ricotta, mozzarella or cheddar

Top it with cheese, herbs and spices
I'll eat it whole, no need for slices.

Crispy and zesty, tasty and crunchy
All these have made me a big pizza junky

Take my burger, have my sandwich
Stare if you want, beg if you wish.

Smell the aroma, just don't come near.
That's my pizza and I'll never share.

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Stargazing

Just using your eyes
On a clear, dark night
Look up at the skies
To find a wondrous sight

Stars beyond number,
Making patterns gay
Helping weary travelers,
Go along their way

Their black velvety cushion
Stretched across the horizon
Like little diamond drops
They glitter and glisten

Pegasus and Perseus,
North Star and Leo
Libra and Aquarius,
Hydra and Scorpio

All major constellations
Moving across the sky
Looking at the stargazers
As they play I Spy.

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