



**Anxiously awaiting a time to reach up and grow;  
Alone and different amidst the blades of green;  
Sheltered and covered above yet thriving below;  
Taking a chance to claim a space and be seen.**



**A storm though ended, the effects yet remain;  
Puddles abound, scattered on the earth below;  
The heavens brighten, dark departs once again;  
Two now shine from above, smiling all aglow.**



**From sheltered roots begun, slowly travel along;  
No predetermined path, seek to stay strong;  
Unseen forces guide and shape, create life's way;  
Blossoming into fullness, can brighten every day.**



**Amidst fallen signs of previous life and growth;  
Patiently emerging through the gentle silence;  
Finally bursting out for mere moments of glory;  
Shining forth in a joyous colorful celebration.**