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How to Use the Poetry Foundation Browse Page

Looking for a poem to read, teach, or write about? Start here:

<https://www.poetryfoundation.org/poems/browse>

Here's how to make the most of it:

- Search by keyword using the bar at the top. Try typing "grief", "spring", or "freedom".
- Filter by subject if you want poems on love, nature, aging, or anything specific.
- Browse by poet to find famous names like Emily Dickinson or new voices you've never heard.
- Pick a poetic form like haiku, sonnet, or free verse to study structure.
- Explore by occasion if you need a poem for a birthday, wedding, or classroom event.

Poetry Foundation also offers curated poem guides and themed collections that group poems by topic, movement, or reading level. These are especially helpful for educators and new readers.

Each poem includes a short bio of the poet and often a few extras like audio readings, study notes, or historical context.

Perfect for students, teachers, and anyone who loves getting lost in a good line.