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Day 5: Acrostic

Write an acrostic poem using the word September where the start of each line begins with a letter in the word.

S _____
E _____
P _____
T _____
E _____
M _____
B _____
E _____
R _____

Day 8: Haikai

Write a Haikai, a 3 line poem with a 5-7-5 per line syllable count.

Day 9: September Sonnet

Write a sonnet specifically about the month of September. It can be an English Sonnet, or an Italian Sonnet or any of the sub-sets of sonnets you feel like writing.

Day 19: First or Last Line 9

Write a poem that begins or ends with the following line:

With each falling leaf, a story softly told...

Day 21: First or Last Line 11

Write a poem that begins or ends with the following line:

I knew that this night was going to be special...

Day 23: First or Last Line 13

Write a poem that begins or ends with the following line:

As the year turns, our hearts remain intertwined...

Day 26: Word Bank 1

Write a poem that uses at least 5 of the following words:

Uncharted paths

Boundless horizons

Ancient ruins

Starlit skies

Whispered legends

Courageous explorers

Day 30: Word Bank 5

Write a poem that uses at least 5 of the following words:

Fading photographs

Echoes of laughter

Ticking clocks

Weathered pages

Hazy recollections

Childhood dreams
