

# Lone Doughnut

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## Mission

### Statement

In these pages, we shall introduce the masses to the artists and writers that walk among them.

We will give these creative souls a voice and let them be heard.

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At the end of the day, I silently **sit**  
 Watching the sun at the brink of the earth and sinking **down**  
 And the moon glowing brighter with stars **beside**  
 Her. The night engulfs **me**  
 With faint light **and**  
 Cold winds. Please **stay**  
 with us for just **a**  
 Brief and short **while**  
 To keep the lonely moments away.  
**Til'** I see the sun again. Let **the**  
 Moon carry the **night**  
 While we talk. Until the sun **runs**  
 And rises again. Until we have to split apart and **away**

by Citlalli Rosales

Trust is always something I  
Will always believe in even though some may be deceiving I have  
Yet to make friends because my trust is decreasing a  
Trustworthy friend is all I been needing I wish I had a dream  
Where I can experience trustworthy people on my team that  
Will be by my side for a fact and that one  
Person will never lack as being my friend that will one day  
Be by my side and not stab me in my back this  
Trust word is something that grew over the nation  
So one day I hope we all will rise up  
and stop messing over each other because of hatred.

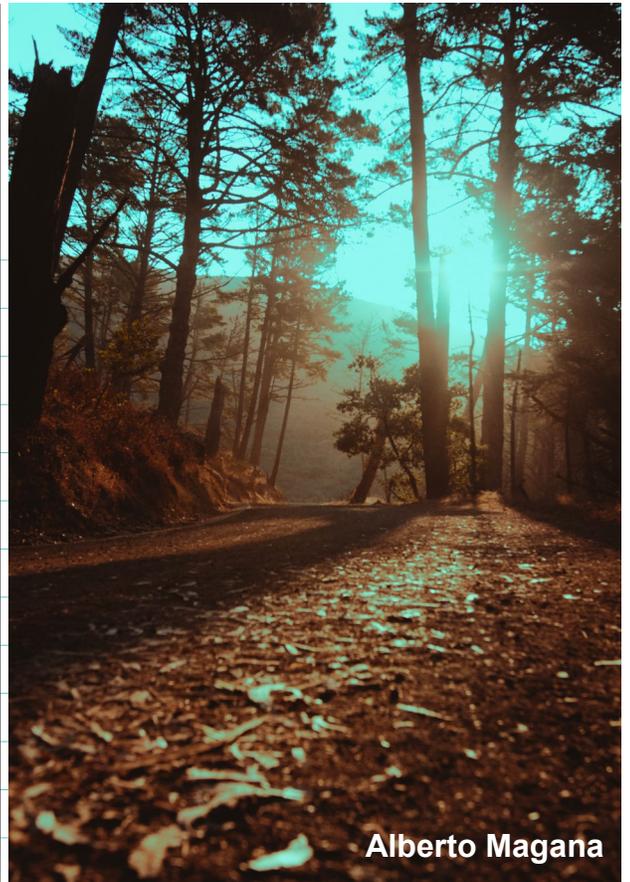
By Mya Echols



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## Transparent Heart by Kamiyah Jones

Some people's hearts are **Transparent**  
Enough for me to see their **Souls**.  
I want to go back and tell them "I  
Love you" And ask them "**Can**  
you make the right choice" to **See**  
When did it start? am I **Right** ?  
I went **Through**  
This plenty of times **Just**  
To see people's souls just **So**  
You know I can see **You**  
Hurting inside and acting like I don't **Know**.

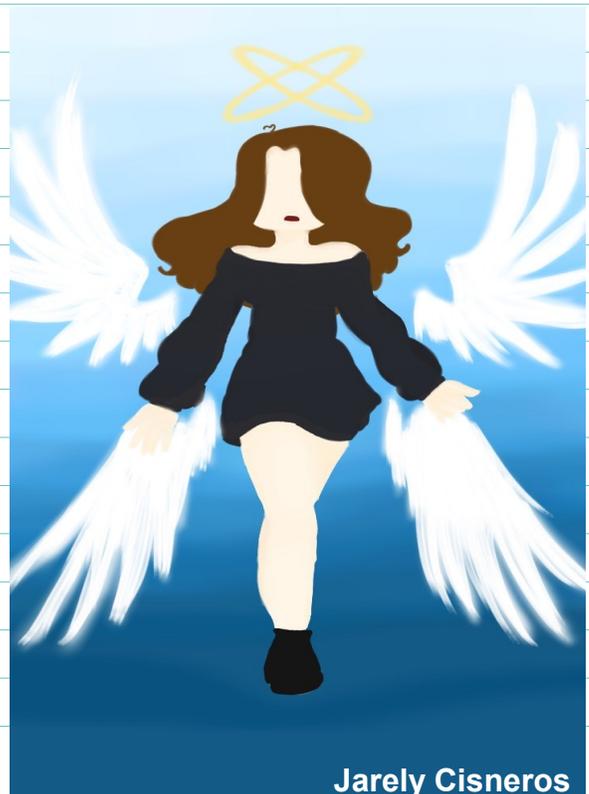


Alex Robinson



The game is about to start and I'm Ready. I am **blinded**.  
 The home team came out **by** our seats. **The** away team entered when the **lights** Turned off. **no** Heckling was allowed and I Wasn't happy about that. I **can't** Watch the game without hecklers because I will fall a **sleep**. I can't wait **until** The last inning because, I Remember last time everyone **fell** Onto the field. **Your** Dreams come true when all the bases are **touched**

by Melvin Lee





Everybody who claims to be your friend might not be, **it**.  
It may be hard to accept at first but once you do it **Seems**  
Like you start to question everyone you talk to **Like**  
Are they there for a lifetime or teach you another lesson? **I**  
Had to learn that the hard way and had to **Give**  
Up a few friendships because not everyone cares for you **So**,  
Understand now that not everyone is your friend and does not care as **Much**  
About you as they claim they do **And**  
It's okay. Not everyone you meet is suppose to be in your life forever **Don't**  
Let it get you down and you have to keep pushing and **Get**  
Through it and don't let **Nothing**  
Or anyone get you down or hold you **Back**

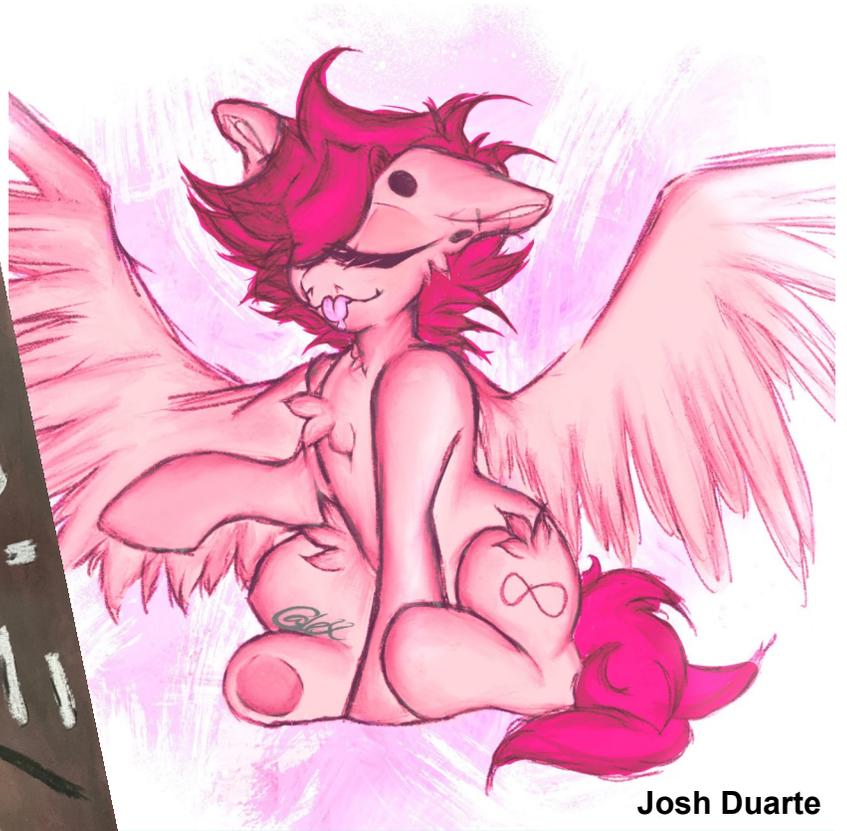
By Aaliyah Bankston



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## BLM by Arieal Davis

I shouldn't have to fight for my rights. I'm  
Tired of being the one with the different skin color and **being**  
Hated for it. I shouldn't have to feel as if I'm being **hunted**.  
You see the pictures and media, they think of us **as**  
Criminals. I don't want to be out here walking around as if I'm **prey**.  
I am human and **my**  
black community is too. Let my **people**  
Be free. Let us have equal rights, we **don't**  
Want any trouble. All we **want**  
is to be treated the same. There is **no**  
Other way we would have it. Us blacks are not **trouble**  
So let's not be judgmental



Nyeema Falkner

## **Freedom by Maliyah Butler**

No matter how hard it gets I'm  
Not going to stay silent I'm going  
To fight for what I believe in and to  
Make sure no one gets hurt and stand  
For those who need me and stand up  
For my rights and It's time to take  
Off the masks and stand up for my  
Culture because there are a lot of people  
That are suffering a lot of pain with  
People who are racist but they can't stop me

# PRIDE

by Jamia Byrd

I've been disconnected holding on to my **PRIDE**

A glimpse of the alternate world that **IS**

Blind to the naked eye, terrified of **THE**

Outcome, slowly realizing what the root of my problems, a thin  
line between God and the **DEVIL**

To **THINK**

I'm proud of whose side I'm picking, **IT**

Won't least the time is ticking I **GOT**

To pick a path choosing between my pride or my soul, releasing  
my **HOLD**

To pick my soul over my pride I'm letting go and moving **ON**

And accepting **ME**.



Jenevieve Guillen