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new light shining



It is not easy to recognize a new star in the sky.
A new light shining among
The countless stars in the night.
To notice a new light shining
that wasn't shining there the night before.
But it is now, glowing brightly
For starwatchers, like me.
I look for the surprise in the ordinary,
In the normal, in the everyday world.
A surprise in the ordinary,
Like a new star in the sky shining among
The countless stars in the night.
I seek out those tiny sparks of inspiration
That happen everywhere, every day
Among the day-to-day routine.
I look for the surprise in the ordinary,
In the normal, in the everyday world.

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A surprise in the ordinary, a spark,
An inspiration in the day-to-day routine.
A surprise so extraordinary
It can change the way you see
The uninteresting and change
How you feel about everything.
We see everything that we are, just as we are.
And in that ordinary, we can find a surprise
A touch of poetry and imagination
That pushes our understanding further
If you just take a moment and observe.
It is not easy to recognize a new star in the sky.
A new light shining among
The countless stars in the night.
But if you look, you will see that star too,
A spark of inspiration, a surprise so extraordinary
You too will find the surprise in the ordinary.























