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| **God Never Planted a Garden** by Anne SpencerGod never planted a gardenBut He placed a keeper thereAnd the keeper ever razed the groundAnd built a city whereGod cannot walk at the end of day,Nor take the morning air. |
| **Harriet Tubman** by Eloise GreenfieldHarriet Tubman didn’t take no stuffWasn’t scared of nothing neitherDidn’t come in this world to be no slaveAnd wasn’t going to stay one either. |
| **If** by Raymond PattersonIf I could imagine the shaping of Fate,I would think of black menHandling the sun. |
| **Jumps Right In by** Eloise GreenfieldGet set, ready now, jump right inBounce and kick and giggle and spinListen to the rope when it hits the groundListen to that clappedy-slappedy soundJump right up when it tells you toCome back down, whatever you doCount to a hundred, count by tenStart to count all over againThat’s what jumping is all aboutGet set, ready now,Jump right out! |
| **I Am Kojo** by Gwendolyn BrooksI am **K**ojo. In West Africa, Kojomeans Unconquerable, My parentsnamed me the seventh day from my birthIn Black spirit, Black faith, Black communionI am Kojo. I am A BlackAnd I Capitalize my name.Do not call me out of my name! |