

Ode to the Writing Marathon

by Bobbi Lewis

Come and listen to a story about a group at Byrd
They're the most creative bunch you have ever heard
Then one day they were aimin' for more to write
Barbara boomed in her voice, "You'd better take a hike."
'Round town, that is.

Well, the next thing you know, they jumped in the car
Writing at the mall - not really very far
Short walk to the bookstore, writing is their game
Talkin', sharin', writin' will never be the same.
Until after lunch, that is.

Silence, tears, then laughter fills in all our day
Jason, Natalie, and Bobbi heading on their way
Friends, writers, teachers have so much to share
Learning more 'bout writing and giving it a flare.
Ya'll come back to Byrd now, ya hear?