

George Ella Lyon Poetry Prompt

A practice in creative writing

Writing instructions: After reading her poem *Tree Valentine*, try to spend at least 20 minutes writing. You don't need to write for an audience! Just whatever comes to mind.

Prompt: George uses this poem to touch on the peace she finds in relation to the trees. Think of a memory, place or object that brings you peace, growth or a 'channel of life'. What and how does this make you feel? What sensations does it bring forth? What do you see? Try and use at least five descriptive words in your piece. Add more if you want!

