

Cromwell Estes

Age: 14, Grade: 9

School Name: Mountain Brook Junior High School, Mountain Brk, AL

Educator: Ruth Beenken

Category: Poetry

Grandma

One day you were there,
The next you were gone.
You moved Grandma,
I felt betrayed,
I felt lost.
I wish you still lived in that house,
My childhood home.
I cried when you left,
Yet you did not shed a tear.
I am sad,
And I hope that you are happier now.
But I wish you had stayed.
Where the fairies lived,
Where the fires burned,
Where murdoch lived,
Where we laughed our heads off,
And the kittens played.
Why grandma,
Why did you have to leave.