

The smaller gifts
Haiku poem by Tenzin Namkhang

Im grateful for life

The life in both, me and you

No days short of thanks

Artist statement,

I'm Tenzin Namkhang, and I just turned 15 (October 29).I wrote this poem in time for Thanksgiving.I know that many of us have reasons to be grateful, but I also know that some of us do not.The small thanks are not to be overlooked.And should be appreciated not only on Thanksgiving, but every day.I understand that life moves quickly, and we may not always have the opportunity to express our gratitude to God and recognize our blessings.It is a privilege to get up in the morning and be able to eat, as well as to see your parents or family.Some people pray for what they have while still wanting more.Thanksgiving shouldnt be the only time to you recognize your privilege.

