

# FAMILY DAY POETRY PUZZLES

Bridges Poetry Group

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## Instructions

Place a 1, 2 or 3  
in each cell that is free  
If there's room for one more  
then you must include 4

Use 5 if you have to  
and how will you know?  
So EACH number appears ONCE  
in EACH column and row

When you've filled in each cell  
and the numbers are there  
you can then read the poem  
from the solved Latin Square

Read from left to right  
as you normally do  
the 1's give the first line  
next line's paired with 2

Continue this way  
till each number's been done  
a line for each number  
we hope you have fun

**Sample square gives:**

*This is how  
the poem reads  
from the square*

3	1	2
from	is	reads
1	2	3
This	poem	square
2	3	1
the	the	how

## *Snapdragons* by Lisa Lajeunesse

3			1
Best	in	they	scary
Imagine	sure	to	lap
Snapdragons	2		
	if	are	gather
1			
Dragons	not	your	snap



Snapdragon Flower<sup>1</sup>

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*Magnets by Daniel May*

		3
it's	magnets	them.
	2	
ball	an	repel,
When	between	invisible

*Trash Problem by JoAnne Growney*

place	is	it
	3	
There	of	get
		1
rid	to	no

*from Animals One to Seven by Sarah Glaz*

3		
thread	a	convoy
		2
An	of	thin
trails	ant	dark

*from Ghazal: Resonant Air by Sarah Glaz*

	2	3	
Suddenly	fragrant	trampolines	air.
4			
somersaults	leaf	air,	dances
through	in	rain	and
	1		2
on	summer	buoyant	leaps