

# **Nature and Nurture**

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**It was a hot day today,  
Temp spiked to the nineties,  
The heat soaked up water  
From the rivers, streams,  
Fountains and pools,  
Collecting in the sky,  
Forming a massive  
Vapor cloud  
Filled with the lifegiving water,  
Like a woman's breast  
Filled with milk  
Prepared to feed  
A thirsty child,  
Ready to burst forth  
And nourish the earth.**

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