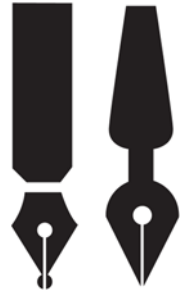


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Inauguration



The Inaugural Poem

DIRECTIONS: In 1961, Robert Frost recited the first inaugural poem, "The Gift Outright", at President John F. Kennedy's inauguration. Since then the inaugural poem has become an inauguration day tradition. Imagine you have been asked to write and deliver an inaugural poem for the upcoming inauguration day. Write the first draft of your poem below.
