

# Poems by Luca

## You Better Belize It

The flamingos walk with their noses up  
Like snooty rich kids on the playground,  
The ants walk in sandwiched lines  
Like a traffic jam on the FDR  
The pelicans fly on sun stained clouds  
As a rainbow mist surrounds them.  
And barges and raceboats make.  
Towering swells to lap against a bridge .

## The End of a Book

The end of a book  
Is like a flat tire on your bike,  
Or a secret off your chest,  
Like a tear that's hit the bottom of a lake  
Like the end of a book.

## Beautiful

A stained glass sky leaning on  
Sun baked clouds is beautiful  
Silver raindrops on  
Lavender lighting is beautiful  
Golden sand playing it coy with clear blue water is  
beautiful ,

## Fly

Phssssss  
There it goes  
I say with glee  
The grass is stained with blackened sulphur  
The sky is stained with smoke  
My rocket soared above the trees  
But suddenly it slows to a steady stop  
And right when it picks up speed a silver ballerina  
Spurts from the top and my little sunbeam  
Lands on the ground

## Mom

My mother never fails  
Soft skin  
And silky hair  
Flowing like mercury  
Eyes bright  
But with a stern center  
Of black stone  
And she tucks me in at  
night  
She gives me a gentle  
kiss  
A gingerly hug  
With soft skin  
And warm lips  
And in return I give her  
A sloppy kiss  
A clumsy hug  
But  
She doesn't care  
Because she's my mom

*Luca's published poems.*