

# Poetry Porch: Poetry

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## Consider Joining the Potato Brigade

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—after Rosemerry Wahtola Trommer

What potatoes do  
when they sprout  
in the dark:

Remind humans to thrive,  
use our nutrients within  
to reach out again.

Though larger than a grain of sand,  
a potato displays  
poetry's efficiency

Reminding us all  
of the conversation  
inner & outer  
that poetry is.