

The Writer

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Are you a writer they ask?
I stumbled to lift my mask
For deep inside the answer hid
I was nervous as a little kid
What words will I answer?
Maybe I should be a dancer

Here comes the yes I say
Words did flow today
Nouns and pronouns
Verbs and adverbs
Throw in a preposition
To start the composition
But remember the conjunctions
Oh my, hear the interjections

Genre, genre
A double entendre
Romantic or tragic
Words are like magic
Comedy drama
Oh! I forgot the comma
Writing non-fiction
Leads to perfection
Make up fiction
A great predilection
Fantasy to sci-fi
Someone may die.

Confident now
I wipe my brow
The list is long
With a writer's song
Poets to playwrights do delight
So glad they started to write
Friend to friend I wrote a letter
Sweet words so much better
Wrote my things-to-do list
Then a new plot twist
Journal, essay
Writers have a lot to say
Music and song
The list grows long

I could go on all day
About what writers say
But alas in the end
It is what you have penned
Do it today my writing friends
Make your own trends
Hear the words call
Whatever you write stand tall
By hand, print or even Amazon
Write on, write on, write on

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