

Honey Suckle- Poem 4**BEAUTY-By E-Yeh-Shure****MODULE 1**

ABOUT THE POET

Louise Abeita Chewiwi was a Native American writer, poet and teacher. She was born in Isleta Pueblo, New Mexico in 1926. When she was thirteen years old, her first book, the illustrated ***I am a Pueblo Indian Girl***, was published. The book, which is told through both prose and poetry, is the first book to explain the lives and culture of the Pueblo community to the non-Native world. She appeared in the short film, **Fashion Horizons**, showing her book to Hollywood actresses.

SUMMARY OF THE POEM

The poem reiterates that 'beauty lies in the eyes of the beholder'. The poet conveys the idea that we are surrounded by beauty from everywhere. Nature has assimilated every beautiful thing from every nook and corner. Nature has created music and rhythm in all its activities.

Beauty is observed in every creature of nature. Be it the sunlight, the trees, birds, farmers, worker that works in fields are working hard in sync with nature. Seeing the blossoming and ripening of the harvest the farmers dance.

When everything becomes quiet one could hear clearly the sound of falling of raindrops, blowing of wind, muttering of singers.

The poet emphasize that beauty lies in doing good works, having positive thoughts. One must keep on doing their good deeds. It should be reflected in your leisure time, and even while taking rest.

NEW WORDS-

Wind sighing-blowing of wind

Chanting-singing

In earnest-sincerely, honestly

Corn-food crops

In yourself-inside one's own self

Harvest-crop

Good deeds-noble actions, Happy thoughts

Heard-listened to

Repeat themselves-are reflected or shown

Dreams-ambitions