

STORM

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The pitter-patter of rain Falling to the ground Wetting my hair Bringing joy to my soul Cleansing the earth.

Lightning flashes
Thunder booms
Bringing fear to some
Exhilaration to others
Music to my ears.

The storm slows Then fades away A fresh smell Fills the land A stripe of colors Lights the sky.

The colors will fade
The smell covered
Till the rain comes again
To make the earth
Clean again.