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**Writing Prompt (courtesy of A. E. Stallings):**

Write a poem about your least favorite (or favorite if you prefer) school subject—algebra? social studies? chemistry?—using some interesting un-poetic vocabulary from that subject. Find the poetry in the unpoetic, or the unpoetic in the literary.