



# Celestial Lights

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## Andromeda

great star mother

plucking her womb

casts

novae

millions

glowing

to

earth

## Great Nebula in Orion (close up)

Theta's

little

star

lamb's

grazing in corral

glisten . . .

diamond

wool

## Hercules

mighty giant's gift

million mile

bridal veil

glimmering

blue-green

emerald

glory

## Moon

faded

earth-kin

sucked

dry

now

hides

her

mystery

under

blanket

of

dust

**Lois Yoder**, a writer from Harrisonburg, VA, earned her B.A. and M.A. in composition and rhetoric from the University of the District of Columbia. She states that "the spiritual is my life" which leads her to inquire into God's universe, including the human story, through poetry. The title of her inquiry is "From Bud to Blossom." Her poems are arranged in seventy poem cycles and many are in dramatic form. Her other works include children's stories and a cookbook.