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The next poem we are going to look at is called 'Slowly' by James Reeves.



James Reeves

Slowly by James Reeves

John Morris Reeves (1 July 1909 – 1 May 1978) was a British writer principally known for his poetry, plays and contributions to children's literature and the literature of collected traditional songs. His published books include poetry, stories and anthologies for both adults and children. He was also well known as a literary critic and a broadcaster.
Born in Wealdstone in the London Borough of Harrow, James Reeves attended Stowe School, where he won a scholarship to Jesus College, Cambridge. From 1932 to 1952 he taught English in a number of schools and teachers' training colleges, subsequently becoming a freelance author and editor.

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Concepts
Repetition
Rhyming
Personification

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Vocabulary

tide	the rising and falling of the sea
mounts	climb up
stile	steps that allow people to climb over a wall
dew	tiny drops of water that form on cool surfaces at night
dock	an enclosed area of water in a port used for the loading of goods