

Lewis Center is Great

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35th Birthday Celebration Poetry Winner

The moon shines brightly;
Stars twinkle in the night.
You wake up in the morning
And you just don't feel right.

You try to eat breakfast
And the foods taste funny.
You think about going out to eat
But decide, "I only have a little money."

Well, let me tell you what,
Your problem just might be,
Too much time on your hands,
Too much time free.

There's a center in Memphis,
For thirty-five great years,
Has served as a place
To push back the tears.

The company here is pleasant.
The food is out of site.
You don't need much money for lunch,
Just a good appetite!

Activities of computers, cards and piano
Arts, crafts, music and band,
These and many others will keep you
Without an idle hand.

This place I speak of is Lewis Center for Senior Citizens
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