**What Am I Thankful For?**

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The crunching sounds of leaves as they pass underneath my feet

the kind smiles and “hellos” from people that I have yet to meet

the obnoxious bell that rings throughout the school day

the people who care for me at the talented Bay

Real gifts, like friendship, that don’t require cards nor bows

beautiful snowflakes that drift slowly and land onto my nose

conversations that end with three very special words

the merry songs and joyous tweets from the neighborhood’s birds

A bubble bath to relax in after an exhausting day

my faith strong enough to keep all my worries away

the ringing bells that signal the start of a new day

moments so perfect that they could take my breath away