

## What I Tried to Tell My Mom:



LOOK WHAT I CAN DO!



DAY 16 PROMPT: Write a poem from the perspective of your teenage self.

NOTE: This is a monostich. Example from A.R. Ammons's "Coward":

"Bravery runs in my family."

CREDITS: Michael McDonald and Mo Collins as Stuart and Doreen Larkin on the Fox sketch comedy TV series *Mad TV*, courtesy Quincy Jones Entertainment (non free fair use)(Stuart at the Police Station) (click on above image to watch the skit).

A monostich is a one-line stanza. Sometimes, a poem will contain multiple monostich lines, but often the entire poem is a monostich, such as A.R. Ammons's "Coward": "Bravery runs in my family."