

By Bethan, age 17

Left, right.

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I am a soldier too.

They fight the wars in distant lands;

My battlefield is here.

Their presence guides me,

I am their leader.

We brave the storms together;

Fighting our biggest fear:

The unknown.

We look to each other for comfort,

Find solace in understanding what others

Don't understand.

Find solace in our solitude.

We are soldiers.

We face the problems head-on;

We do not hide, we do not fear.

For whatever it is,

We're strong.

