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Poetry Reading
Dancing Disk in the Sky by Hibaq Osman

The poem depicts the Moon's comforting, friendly presence in the sky.

If you asked what The Moon is
people would tell you
in their proudest voices:

The Moon is a circle in the sky
waiting for your greeting.
You should say hello
in any of the languages you know
or maybe say them all
just in case!

The Moon is a reflection in the water
that jiggles with the wind.
It is a silver plate dancing with you
by the riverbank.

It has many friends
who speak to it at night
and you, with your small voice,
no need to worry
The Moon is a very good listener!

Look up and see,
if you peek behind your curtains
The Moon will dance for us
so nobody feels lonely.