

**I Am**

Poem by AS

I am Mexican, from Puebla and Minnesota.  
Independent and hardworking  
Different types of brown tones  
We are butterflies, always showing our beauty.

I am from birthdays, tortillas, and tamales.  
Joyful and ordinary  
Celebrating another year of life  
Just like a flower opening their petals

I am from Fabuloso.  
Fresh and unique  
Always helping people with their mistakes  
A wonderful scent that envelops you with a pillow of comfort.

I am from trees, playgrounds and hallways  
Kids climbing, trying, reaching to the top  
Always filled with friends and laughter  
So just let yourself be and laugh like a the kids we used to be

I am from 15 de septiembre, quinceaneras and dancing.  
Celebrating our culture  
People coming together and expressing ourselves  
Letting the music move your muscles.

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