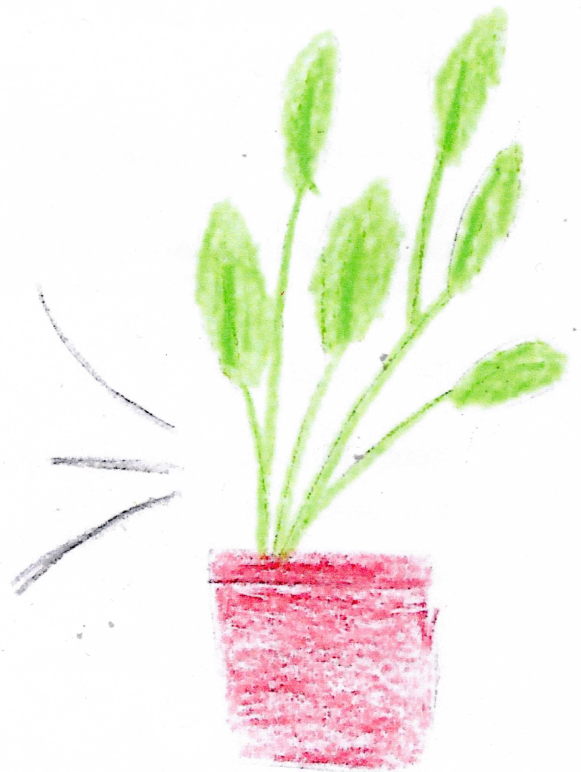
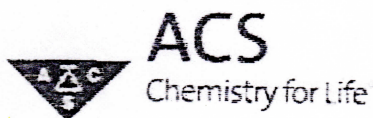


The air exits my body and floats toward the plant.  
I watch as the plant takes a deep breath  
and then exhales, sending new air my way.  
I nod thankfully.  
It nods back.





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**ILLUSTRATED POEM CONTEST ENTRY FORM**

Please fill out this form, print, and attach to the back of the poems. All fields are required. Incomplete forms will invalidate the entry.

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