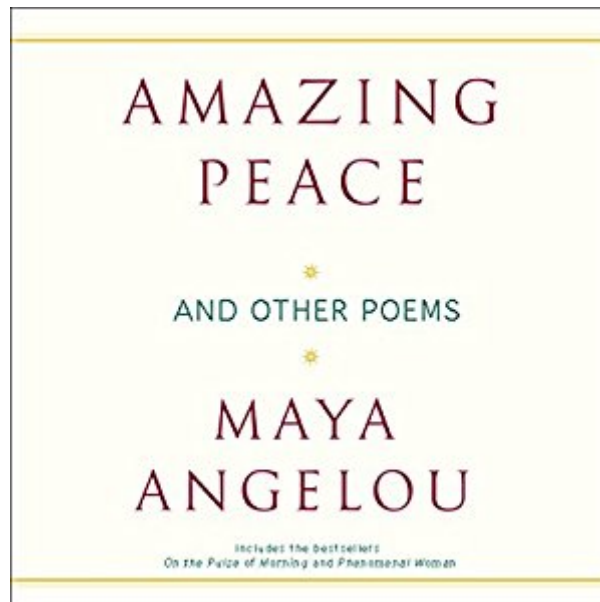




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# Amazing Peace And Other Poems



## Synopsis

Grace, dignity, and eloquence have long been hallmarks of Maya Angelou's poetry. Her measured verses have stirred our souls, energized our minds, and healed our hearts. Whether offering hope in the darkest of nights or expressing sincere joy at the extraordinariness of the everyday, Maya Angelou has served as our common voice. *Celebrations* is a collection of timely and timeless poems that are an integral part of the global fabric. Several works have become nearly as iconic as Angelou herself: the inspiring "On the Pulse of Morning," read at President William Jefferson Clinton's 1993 inauguration; the heartening "Amazing Peace," presented at the 2005 lighting of the National Christmas Tree at the White House; "A Brave and Startling Truth," which marked the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations; and "Mother," which beautifully honors the first woman in our lives. Angelou writes of celebrations public and private, a bar mitzvah wish to her nephew, a birthday greeting to Oprah Winfrey, and a memorial tribute to the late Luther Vandross and Barry White. More than a writer, Angelou is a chronicler of history, an advocate for peace, and a champion for the planet, as well as a patriot, a mentor, and a friend. To be shared and cherished, the wisdom and poetry of Maya Angelou proves there is always cause for celebration. --This text refers to the Hardcover edition.

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beautiful poetry and beautifully crafted book

Found it to be inspirational and hopefully. I love everything Maya Angelo does, she's a true treasure. Her words make me believe I can go anywhere and do anything. Can't wait to read more of her works!

This poet, author, is deep. I read all I can get my hands on in whatever medium she puts out there.

This is a terrific and spiritual book. I give it as a gift at weddings and graduations. Pat

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I found this poetry book to be very insightful and many of the poems in it really hit home. Maya Angelou is on of my favorite poets of our time.

Her voice is wonderful to hear. Preserved for the ages.

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