



**Zeeland, MI Author Publishes Children's Book**

**In This Kids Poetry Book a Kind Woman Enjoys the Simple Life**

*Mary Martha Merta*, a new book by Kathy Kammeraad, has been released by Dorrance Publishing Co., Inc.

*Mary Martha Merta* is a kind-hearted lady who enjoys the simple things in life. She sees the beauty in the world around her and is willing to share if you are willing to listen. This book is intended to inspire children (and their elders) to explore their own worlds, seeking beauty and adventure.

**About the Author**

The author comes from a family of natural-born poets who love to make things rhyme off the cuff. Her internal rhythm requires her to be in time with the music, even if it is in the grocery store. She has worked in the hospital setting as a respiratory therapist for more than thirty years. She was sitting in the cafeteria of Helen Devos Children's Hospital, Grand Rapids, Michigan, when she was inspired to write *Mary Martha Merta*.

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