BEOPOEM

A Biopoem is a poem written about yourself using a handy-dandy formula. It’s the type of poem that might make you yawn just thinking about it, but a Beopoem is something different.

It’s a Biopoem written in a Beowulf style. It’s still about you but using the same type of description someone might use to describe a kick-butt, monster-killing, arm-ripping warrior.

Beowulf of Geatland
Son of Ecgtheow
Strong, defiant, proud
Slayer of Grendel
Eater of flesh and drinker of mead
Who never shrinks from a challenge
But always deflects and defeats any obstacle
Believer in force and fate
Vexed by old age and dragon fire
Feared by all who live outside God’s law
Ruler of Geatland

Beopoem Formula:

(insert first name) of (insert a location)
Son or daughter of...
(insert three adjectives describing yourself)
Slayer of...
Eater of...(insert substance) and drinker of... (insert substance)
Who never...(insert a verb)
But always...(insert a verb)
Believer in...
Vexed by...
Feared by...
Ruler of...
Student Example:

Calvin of South Springfield
Son of Norm the Hairy and Teresa the Short
Pimply, awkward, nerdy
Slayer of ants, online adversaries, and stubborn pimples
Eater of Doritos and drinker of warm Kool-Aid
Who never condones violence
But always fights just the same—in his own way
Believer in fast internet
Vexed by online trolls
Feared by middle-schoolers everywhere
Ruler of his basement