

Orange Shirt Day (Every Child Matters)

As fall begins to change leaves,
We wear an orange shirt,
To remember.

As the sun rises and sets
Like a flaming ball,
We think about

Children.

Those who lived here
Long before copper coins were used.
Who fished in auburn kayaks,
And lived in red-yellow cedar homes.

Those living now.
Who carve pumpkins,
Eat carrots, salmon and oranges.

Those who'll come later.
Who need our help,
To protect the trees, streams, and fish.

For all children,
We wear an orange shirt,
To remember.

- Sonia Garrett