

JEFFERSON, ADAMS, AND THE CRUCIBLE OF REVOLUTION

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Directions: Using the information from the Jefferson, Adams, and the Crucibles of Revolution essay by Dr. Jane Kamensky and the insights you've collected through your reading guide and class activities, write a short poem from John Adams to Thomas Jefferson OR from Thomas Jefferson to John Adams. Your poem should:

- Reflect both a similarity and a difference in the political views or vision for the country.
- Share a bit of gratitude or a shout out of your author for his friend.
- Your poem should summarize the critical similarities, differences, and gratitude that these two founders shared, in spite of their differences.

These may be written, performed, or recorded. You can use the space below to organize your thoughts.

Author		
Similarity to highlight		
Difference to highlight		
Shout out		
Two other big ideas to highlight		