

The Legend of the Purple Heart  
came to me without much thought,  
with some it is an after thought  
It comes with a price  
but can't be bought  
rarely is it sought,  
but a result of wars they fought

It's given to brave men and women  
for Honor, Valor and Dignity  
and is more than a medal to thee  
It hangs and rests  
upon brave young chests  
For all Americans to see  
The price of War  
paid for you and me

They fought on Foreign lands  
and distant shores  
to perserve the Peace  
Americans adore

The scars they feel deep within

as they grow old

paint a picture to our youth

who must be told

Your freedoms, liberty and justice for all

came with a price when they stood tall

don't forget when they fall

they thought of us before all

cindy winstead

