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Christina Rossetti What is pink?



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WHAT IS PINK?

What is pink? A rose is pink

By the fountain's brink.

What is red? A poppy's red

In its barley bed.

What is blue? The sky is blue Where the clouds float through. What is white? A swan is white Sailing in the light.

What is yellow? Pears are yellow,
Rich and ripe and mellow.
What is green? The grass is green,
With small flowers between.

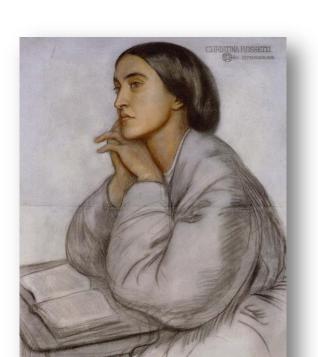
What is violet? Clouds are violet

In the summer twilight.

What is orange? Why, an orange,

Just an orange?

By Christina Rossetti.



Christina Rossetti

Retrato de Christina Rossetti, por su hermano, Dante Gabriel Rossetti (Dominio Público)

Christina Georgina Rossetti (5 December 1830 – 29 December 1894)

She was a British poet, one of the most important in the nineteenth century in her country.

She was an English writer of romantic, devotional and children's poems, including "Goblin Market" and "Remember".

She also wrote the words of two Christmas carols well known in Britain: "In the Bleak Midwinter", later set by Gustav Holst, Katherine Kennicott Davis, and Harold Darke, and "Love Came Down at Christmas", also set by Darke and other composers. She was a sister of the artist and poet Dante Gabriel Rossetti II and features in several of his paintings.