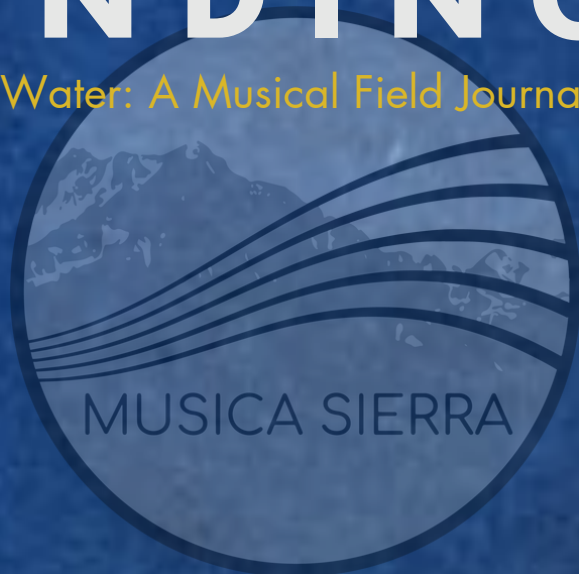


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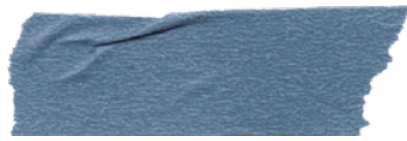
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MUSICAL HEADWATERS

is a Musica Sierra initiative that commissions new works of music inspired by the Sierra Valley to bridge nature-based education with the visual and performing arts and deepen children's social and emotional connection to the earth.

Musica Sierra's annual Headwaters residency brings the country's most innovative musicians and composers to the Sierra Valley to compose and perform original works inspired by the Sierras. These new musical works, written for children, bridge nature-based education with the visual and performing arts to promote land stewardship, honor cultural heritage, elevate local artistry, and deepen civic pride in the region. The resident musicians spend a week in the pristine headwaters of the Middle Fork of the Feather River, performing, educating, and inspiring the local youth to become stewards of the earth through the classical arts.

Visual and Performing Arts (VAPA)

Musical Headwaters' original compositions are freely available to parents, students, and educational institutions to enhance all Nature-Based or natural science curricula through the inclusion of the Visual and Performing Arts and Project Based Learning.

Member Institutions

The Sierra County Arts Council

Feather River Land Trust, Learning Landscape.

Sierra-Plumas Joint Unified School District (SPJUSD)

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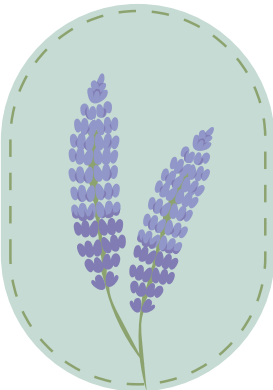
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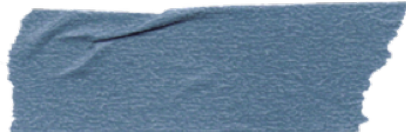



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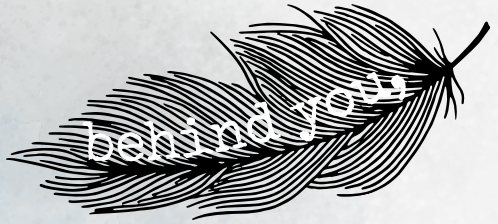
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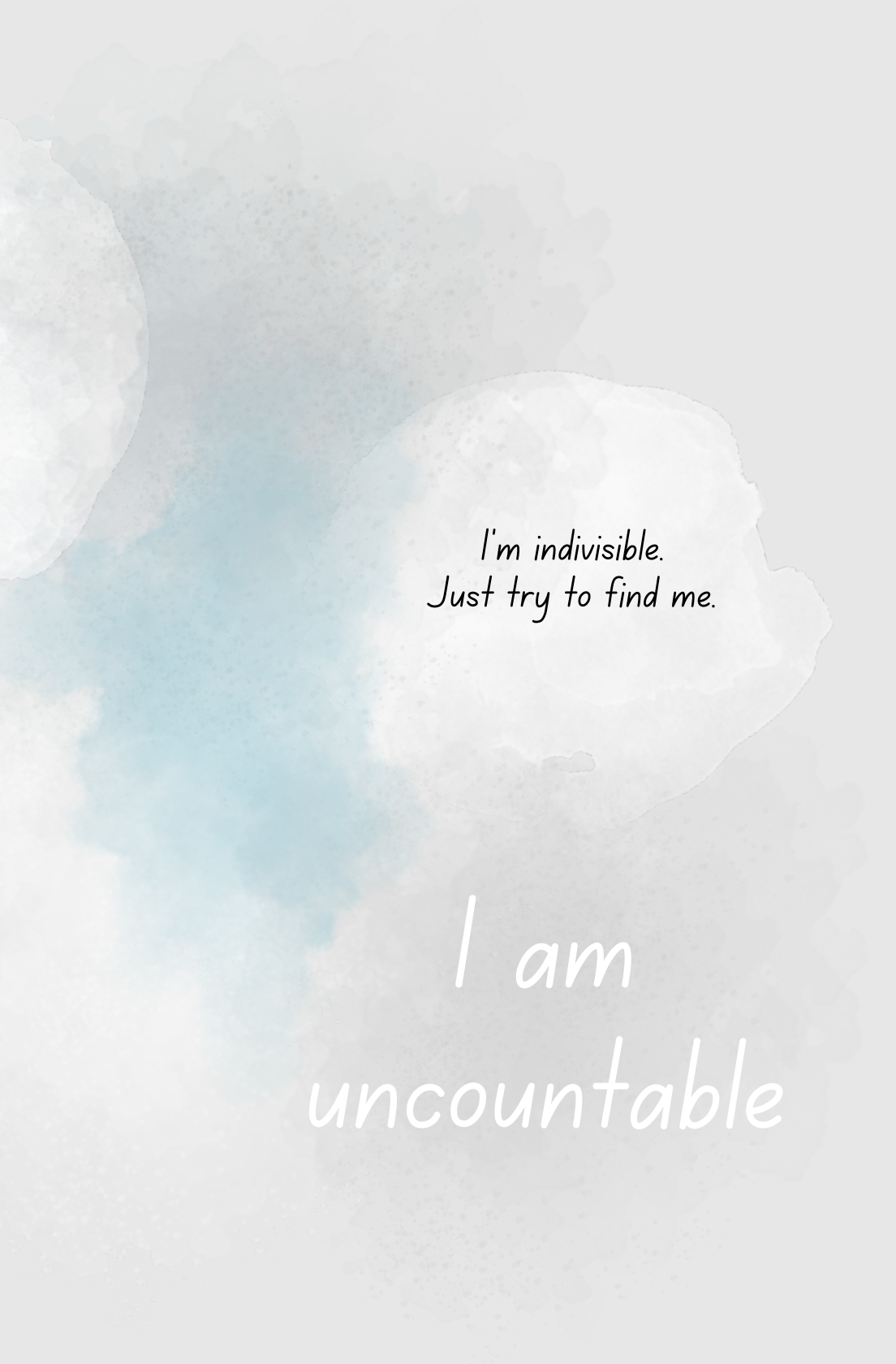


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I am the Air

I am everywhere





*I'm indivisible.
Just try to find me.*

*I am
uncountable*



I bring rain upon my shoulder.

I bring fire in my hand.



I tell the trees
just how to blow,

I tell the storm
to land.



*The winds are my children,
they do the changing work.*

They scatter seeds and bend the trees,



and make the leaves to fall.

North, South, East, West,



They bear the bees along.



*They guide the birds,
and steal the words*



of those who go before them

I am the air,

I am everywhere.



*I am the king
of the weather.*



I am tornado
I am hurricane
I am the gale
I am the thunder.



Can water be used to generate energy? Create a device that can convert energy from water to another energy source.

