

## Rosarian Sonnet

### Emptying the Nest

- a First the children leave home for work or school.  
a Grandchildren go as a general rule  
b far away for adventures or college.  
c Now with Internet and Skype they explore  
c and share news by Facebook, blogs so much more.
- d Photos can be sent from their own cell phone  
d or camera to computer -- your own.  
b We can follow as they gain new knowledge.  
e So different from when I left my home.  
e No electronics to record, welcome.
- f All the fledglings when they leave parent's nest  
g leave their worrying yet hopeful loved ones  
g eager to see them on their vacations,  
f always sending love and wishing the best.

### Rosarian Sonnet:

1. 14 lines.
2. Syllable Count: ten
3. Rhyme Scheme: a-a-b-c-c d-d-b-e-e f-g-g-f