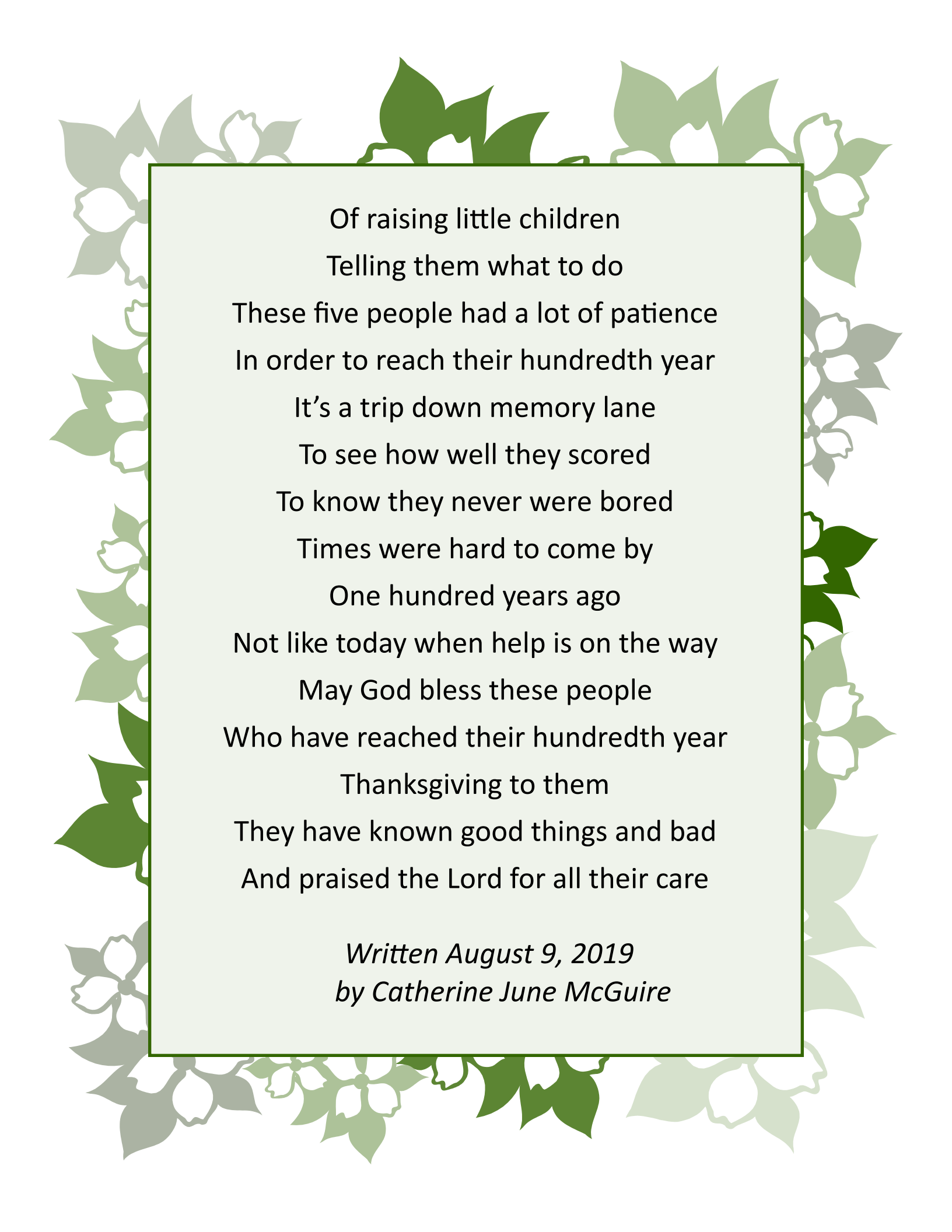




A Century of Living

Some people at St. Patrick Home
Have reached their hundredth year
Some likely raised families
With many joys and tears
Perhaps some looked after grand children
They knew just what to do
The times were hard to come by
But still they got through
Guess they said a lot of prayers
That everything would be okay
The dear Lord answered them
For many many days
When children were learning to walk
Mom and Dad were close by
Seeing if the child fell
And if they would start to cry
Mom and Dad have many memories
And I guess some pictures too



Of raising little children
Telling them what to do
These five people had a lot of patience
In order to reach their hundredth year
It's a trip down memory lane
To see how well they scored
To know they never were bored
Times were hard to come by
One hundred years ago
Not like today when help is on the way
May God bless these people
Who have reached their hundredth year
Thanksgiving to them
They have known good things and bad
And praised the Lord for all their care

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