

**I am From  
By Ms. Stafford**

**I am from Jake and Barb  
And cold, bright Labrador mornings**

**I am from Cabbage Patch Kids,  
Hook rugs and Barbie dolls**

**I am from The Cosby Show,  
Star Wars and The Fresh Prince of Bel Air**

**I am from Saturday morning cartoons  
And Dad's pancakes on Sundays**

**I am from the chlorine of the swimming pool  
And cross-country running races**

**I am from monkey bars blisters,  
And safe roads for biking with friends**

**I am from long days of playing outside  
And dark evenings of Spotlight**

**I am from summers at my Nan's  
And Aunt Phyllis' cookies and breads**

**I am from warm memories of family  
That I keep creating for my daughter**