

# AP Literature Pieces

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### **A Shepherd**

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See the morning dusk.  
He wakes; it is a must.  
Dogs do what they're told:  
be obedient and get bold.  
Time goes 'round the clock,  
as the dogs unwind each flock.  
One mustn't be left behind;  
he looks till he can find.  
There isn't much to do.  
A wonderful life to who  
is pleased by his skill.  
It's like a daily pill.