

## RED-TAILED HAWK

Her shrill "kee-er-r-r startles the air

The raptor soars above Storm King

Her span of wings

Floats on warm uplift of thermal column

Her fanned-out tail glows from solar cauldron

The God-hawk radiates over the universe

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