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# The Horse Inside Me

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There is a horse black as night in me with long hair like Rapunzel.  
It neighs like my mother's voice when she sings.  
Its hooves hit the ground like my father's hands when he beats his drum.  
It moves like waves crashing on the beach.  
The horse is in my heart and makes me happy.  
It makes me feel like I am free.