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Only the children know what they are looking for. --Antoine de Saint-Exupery

Doorways to Our Childhood Selves

"At the beginning of each new year, I consider my favorite poets, writers, poems, and stories. They provide ways to claim a voice yet to be discovered. I write about this in an essay, 'Doorways to Our Childhood Selves.' After we published this essay last year, I was deeply touched to hear from many of you who had written to me to share your own relationship to stories and how they continue to impact your lives. I loved hearing from early childhood educators just beginning in the classroom to veteran high school teachers and college professors. Each one agreed that 'all good stories require something from us.'" Read Cleary Vaughan-Lee's essay [here](#).

Be The Change:

Is there a particular story, poem or quote you are carrying with you into this new year? And if so, what does it signify to you?