

Inspiration

To be inspired by 2020 is an overwhelming ask;
With pandemic, bush fires, flooding, it's a hugely daunting task.
There's been worldwide grief and sadness, people torn from those they love
And for those of faith it's hard to think that this is managed from above.

But in the middle of these losses, there's inspiration to be found
The Dragon's Heart's been beating in the stadium's hallowed ground.
Captain Tom has walked his garden, and we've clapped the NHS
And strangers helped each other in a time of so much stress.

My grandma's learned to Zoom-call, my aunt has learned to text,
They can't suss "Mute", and splitting screens can leave them very vexed;
But it's just so good to see them, and it's brought home to us all
That friends and family make your day, even if it's only just a call.

The nation's pain is shared by all our beating hearts;
We're closer than we've ever been, never quite apart.
The loved ones that we've lost are always with us, still
Shining in the brightness of 5000 daffodils.

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