



The Silent Key

There is a special someone upon this Earth
Who often provides assistance of great worth.
The Amateur Radio Operator is always on call.
Every waking moment to help us one and all.
For, the Amateur Radio Service is a service-- in deed.
With several ham operators world-wide to heed.
Listening for the message that someone might send,
until the day their own signals come to an end.
When the storms of nature have taken their toll,
it was this radio friend who often takes control!
For they've made their station a message sending friend
in the hopes that suffering could somehow end!
They would stay "ON AIR" lending a helpful hand
to all of those standing in need across the land!
Rendering assistance when communications were needed.
Yet, seldom, were they ever; "Thankfully Greeted!"
Quite often these folks were found in harms way!
Trying, somehow, to help out in their stay!
Never seeking payment of a monetary amount
is why the term- "AMATEUR" - is taken into account.
For, thus is the life of the Radio Amateur.
They take great pride in their service-- for sure!
But, alas, when their life is over and no more
does their message sending key do it's chore.
Broadcasting helpful messages for folks like you and me.
May God Bless the Memory of this now: "Silent Key"

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