

## Doublet Couplets

The First Decade of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century

Millennium fears accelerated  
until global fears generated.

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Beginning with such hope and optimism  
yet with knowing, growing cynicism.

Poet in Fragile Times

With world connecting faster globally  
write universally and locally.

Doublet Couplets: Two lines. Rhymed. Approximately the same length.