

## **I Am the Girl**

by Evie, age 11

I am the girl who is an only child,  
I am the girl who loves elephants.

I am the girl who enjoys vacations,  
I am the girl who goes to China almost every year.

I am the girl who shares a birthday with France,  
I am the girl who shares a birthday with Woody Guthrie.

I am the girl who wishes to grow up quickly,  
I am the girl who dreams of being a doctor.

I am the girl who listens to birds,  
I am the girl who waits for the moment when the sun sets.

I am the girl who wants to fly someday,  
I am the girl who never walks barefoot outdoors.

I am the girl who likes watching nature,  
I am the girl who wants to witness a flower bloom.

I am the girl who loves, and will always love, trees,  
I Am Evie.