The Day Awaits by Risë E. Daniels (2019, baby buddha press, Windsor, CT) 42 pages, 4 1/4" by 5". 4-color card covers, perfectbound. ISBN 978-1-7327746-4-3. \$7 plus \$3 postage from Risë E. Daniels, loneheronart@gmail.com

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The cover of this book is a picture of an open gate welcoming the reader. Inside the book is divided into three sections. Each section opens with a suitable quote from either Rumi, Emerson or Khalil Gibran. The first section, Daybreak contains haiku on that subject such as:

morning song the cardinal's solo at daybreak

The second section, Dawn to Dusk has more varied subject matter and includes my favorite haiku in the collection:

> open field the sound of children chasing laughter

The last section, Twilight ends with this appropriate haiku:

even in these waning hours a reminder... a new day awaits

In keeping with the attention to detail found in this delightful book the back cover includes a photo of a gate closed.

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