

## NANO NAGLE

Dear Nano was born to the privileged few,  
Dances and parties were what she knew.

In the Nagle home Catholic faith was strong.  
The Government said their faith was wrong.  
To France for Catholic education Nano was sent,  
Lonely for home, but away she went.

Her sister Ann soon came to stay,  
Ann and Nano were like night and day.  
Nano was good and had love in her heart,  
But the parties and primping were her favorite part.

Ann took Nano to serve the poor  
What an eye opener to visit their door.  
Nano had plans for a dress made of silk,  
But Ann sold the material for the poor's food and milk.

Dear Nano loved Ann and now she could see  
Caring for others would become her way to be.

Back in Ireland Nano began to teach,  
Building schools for as many as she could reach.  
With the help of her uncle, brothers, and wives,  
She nurtured and taught both young and old lives.

Many trials, suffering, and begging took place  
As Nano looked at each loving face.  
The people she served needed more care  
And prayers for a convent she continued to share.

With help from the priests and bishops and prayer  
The Ursuline order of Sisters came there.  
Ursulines stayed in their convent, did not leave the grounds.  
Nano was unable to join them as she had her rounds.

Dear Nano's years of serving wherever she went  
Resulted in starting the Presentation Convent!