

Ubuntu

I am because we are

Sewn together by a single process
Immaculately conceived
Carried in a womb
Birthed through a canal that connects the spirit to the flesh

We are one

Molecules and atoms interconnected through red and white blood cells
Smiling mouths and voice boxes that produce sound
Stem cells in our marrow
Different hues to decipher our tribes

Bones and vessels
Veins and blood

One heartbeat to tie us back to the creator
The same air circulates through our lungs regardless of race

We belong to something greater
Agape love pierces through our vision
If we're quiet enough we feel the most-high humming beneath our skin
Laying on our tongue in the form of taste

This experience unites us regardless of our acceptance

I am because we are

Ubuntu

Written by
Charlene Martin