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Hope Beyond the Barred Gate

Upon a path once closed, a yearning stayed, Denied by points and grades, a threshold barred. In younger days, my dream was gently swayed, But physics' weight left hopes and heart both scarred.

Yet years rolled on, and in their quiet tread, Regret lay rooted, deep as time could grow. With aged resolve, a spark to rise instead, I sought that door again, to let hope flow.

In halls of learning, tested once again, With knowledge born from life's most varied course, Though words in stage failed to break the chain, I've found release, no longer plagued by force.

For dreams pursued with courage, not defeat, Leave hearts unburdened, wise and truly free.