

Ava LaRue

### Craven Lion

Create as many words as you can(at least 15) from the word CRAVEN

- Rave
- Raven
- Crave
- **Van**
- Race
- Are
- Can
- Rae
- Ran
- Car
- Ren
- Ear
- An
- Near
- Care
- Cavern
- Cave

My clothes are scattered across the backseats while my muddy shoes lay on the fine leather, dirtying the torn tan seats. Living in a van was never a plan in my life. As I went through high school I absolutely hated every second of it. I was a smart kid but didn't use it, my peers resented me for it. Once graduation was over I was on my own. My parents had gifted me their old 1970 volkswagen hippie van when I turned 16. It gets me from point A to B so I guess it works. I assumed getting a job without a college degree wouldn't be that hard but I was so wrong. McDonald's won't even give me an interview. All I have left in my camera, van and some money grandma left for me when she passed away. My car sputters down the pacific coast highway as I search for a new parking lot to call my own.