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We are all actors on the stage of life, playing our part and then being gone in the twinkling of an eye. Only the land remains, and the land has the potential to add life to our years and years to our lives. Whose spirit is not quickened by the sight of the glorious expanses of nature to which we are heir in our national parks, forests, wildlife refuges and other sacred spaces?

— **AUDREY PETERMAN**, AUTHOR OF *LEGACY ON THE LAND*, IN HER TRIBUTE TO SAM HAMILTON, DIRECTOR OF THE U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE, WHO DIED IN FEBRUARY.