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The sky is blue. A simple sentence many would say is a fact. Kindergarten level, the sky is blue. We finally realize there is more than just blue there is black. Night fills half of the time, half of our life. So now the sky is blue and black, but nothing else. However, it is not. It is not just blue or black. The sky is light reflected, so how does that make it blue or black with absence, well it is the opposite. The sky is pink, green, magenta, orange, rainbow. The sky has northern lights, where more than one color can be seen. At night, the sky is black and gray, a moon looking down at us and our silliness for evading the other colors. But forgive me for stepping out of line, the sky is blue and black. No one should believe otherwise, we shall not say the sky is green, or pink at sunset, for it is only blue. When the sun rises it is yellow, and orange, a calm settles among the ocean water. Look away, look away. This is inappropriate. The words blue and black are only to be heard only to be seen. The sky is blue or black. A human either male or female. But what about the intersex, male and female biology. Do we say they are black or blue, female or male. When the gender in a human is nonbinary and not male or female. Do we say nonbinary is blue or pink? Male or female. Why are we sitting here trying to ban language, toilets, self-expression. Humans are not made to fit binaries for we are all not the same. Otherwise, the world would be boring and dull with lack of originality. You cannot simply take away the rights of trans and queer individuals. Just as the sky as has always existed so has queer individuals. There are trans individuals that have had surgeries and become the person they are. They look like the gender they want to express, so do you really want a man walking into the women's restroom, because that is exactly what this bill is trying to pass. We must remember the sky is more than just a color. When we accept things for the way they are the sky is so much more beautiful when it is not just black or blue. Humans are better when they are seen as human not just man or women.