

A is for Aragorn, King of the West
B is for the Buttons on Bilbo's new vest
C is the Cerebain, a sinister pest
(And that's the one line that stands out from the rest!)

D is for Dwarves who were sturdy and bold
E is the Ents, quite incredibly old
F is for Frodo, we all know about him
G is for Gandalf, can anyone doubt him?
H is for Helm's Deep where a battle was fought
I is for Ioreth, who had a bright thought
J (We miss out for they don't seem to use them,
though there's plenty of Jokes if you fancy to chose them)

K is for Kheled-Zaram, we'll suppose
L is for Legolas, light on his toes
M is for Mallorn, that wonderful tree
N is the Nazgul, their cry makes you freeze!
O is for Orcs, what a horrible crowd!
P is for Pippin, a Perian proud
Q is for Quenya, the Tongue of the Elves
(It's so very hard, they must speak for themselves)

R is the Ring that caused all the strife
S is for Shelob, so run for your life!
T is for Tolkien, who gave us the story
U is for Unwins, reflecting his glory
V is the Valar and may they direct us
W the Wargs from which they'll protect us

X Y & Z are a great deal too hard
so here let me end, says your Doggerel Bard

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