



2014 Haiku 5-7-5 Chapbook:

Bulls and Dreams

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Bulls and dreams

**The dream of the bull-
A matador that let him,
By ovation, live.**

Boring staff meetings

**Staff meeting-I just
Took a pill to make sure I
Am awake this time.**

Cat munching

**Nice sunny morning-
I see a cat quite happy
Munching on sweet grass.**

Changing times

**What mom could not stand-
Hugging and noisy kisses
In public places.**

Childhood and war

**Conflict zone childhood-
Witnessing day by day the
Grace of god exists.**

Childhood playground

**My childhood playground-
Magic place where flying was
Always possible.**

Childhood under war

**Conflict zone childhood-
Day by day you see that the
Grace of god exists.**

Christmas trees and malls

**My childhood pine tree-
Looked very sad at the mall
As a Christmas tree.**

Circling feathers

**Eagles on tree top-
Feather are falling slowly
Circling to the ground.**

Classmate in yellow boots

**Only boots he had-
When he took them off all his
Classmates left the room.**

Clean it by calling it clean

**Brown advertising-
Call dirty clean, repeat it
Often, it will sell.**

Cold old home

**Old sweet home still cold-
This morning I saw dew on
The grass and railings.**

Condemned playground

**Development plans-
Children trying to block the
Demolition crew.**

Counting waves

**Children playing and
A rock fell in the pond-I
Counted sixty waves.**

Cowboy memories

**Cowboy childhood-I
Was proud to wear big boots while
Riding my broom horse.**

Crashes and haze

**Hazy evening. Pile
Of cars on highway one. Poor
Visibility.**

Crow behavior and city life

**Life in the city-
To survive you need to love
And hate like a crow.**

Cul de sac

**Cul de sac-The street
Is called "The road to nowhere"
You must turn around.**

Cursed sidewalk

**The sidewalk of pain-
Each time I hit it head first
I got one stitch more.**

Very cold morning

**Morning at look out-
Most houses appear to be
Quite heavy smokers.**

The spirit of thanksgiving

**My first thanksgiving
Invited for dinner by
Strangers-Wonderful.**

Dictators and gods

**Dictators and gods-
As long as you follow them
They are quite happy.**

Disasters and human nature

**Very common theme-
Disasters often bring out
The best in people.**

Distances and imagination

**Imagination-
In no time I fly to the end
Of the universe.**

Drifting souls and life

**The river of life-
I see my soul going down
The unknown a drift.**

Drying creeks

**Exploring mountain-
Creeks drying up, where did the
Summer waters go?**

Duck fishing

**Like a projectile
A duck splashed its way down the
River, caught a fish.**

Easter traditions

**Easter- Most people
Pray to Jesus; some worship
A cute rabbit.**

Equal love

**Equality-The
Truth is that I really love
My children the same.**

Eskimo kiss and smiles

**Cultural crossings-
I was all smiles when doing
The Eskimo kiss.**

Events on the hill

**Walking up the hill-
I heard a noise and my friend is
Rolling down the hill.**

Fading flower

**The cycle of life-
Once beautiful flower fades
In feeding frenzy.**

Fading memories

**Old heart now crying
Knowing his love memories
Are fading away.**

Fairy rings

**Enchanted forest-
When lost I always felt safe
Inside fairy rings.**

Fake gods

**Celestial thinking_
A very delicate skin
Some haiku gods have.**

Fatty meals for beer

**Typical combo-
Deep fried fat pork and beef cuts
With fried cassava.**

Fishing with my own hands

**Childhood memories-
Fishing was more fun when I
Fished with my own hands**

Flying vandals

**Resting at the park
I lost my lunch to flying
Vandals-Crows hiding.**

Front yard garden

**Beautiful garden-
Children seated on the ground
Drawing sunflowers.**

Frozen ground and Christmas

**Sad part of Christmas-
Man dressed as Santa sleeping
On the frozen ground.**

Fun at country fair

**Trip to country fair-
After wrestling some pigs sure
He needed a bath.**

Funny thieves

**Funny news-Break in
Caught in camera, thieves dressed
As pirates passed out.**

Going down River home

**Tired of fishing-A
Cormorant bird drifts away
On top of a log.**

Great 4th of July fireworks

**Thinking Charles River-
The fireworks that imprinted
Boston in my heart.**

Growing up rough

**Childhood under war-
I have seen hate transform sweet
Hearts into hard rocks.**

Hearts and trust

**The beauty of trust-
We can follow our hearts
Without second thoughts.**

Helping at school

**Unselfish action-
In order to help bullies
My ego I brushed.**

Hocky thriller

**At the old stadium
Hocky game currently tied
Biting dirty shirt.**



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