



2014 Haiku 5-7-5 Chapbook:

Petals On Water

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Petals on water

**Cherry blossom tree
Bending over pond-Petals
Splashing the water.**

Peace and miracles

**The miracle that
Can take place when love and hate
Meet in good faith, Peace.**

Peace and New Year

**Another new year
While the whole world looks at war
My heart is at peace.**

Perfume ban

**Traveling by bus-
“Please, no perfumes or Scents of
Any type” sign reads.**

Personal development

**Wise transformation-
Born a wild baby; now an
Educated beast.**

Personal reinvention

**Nice reinvention-
He was the king of bullies
Now he is a priest.**

Pizza lovers

**Office meeting just
Ended. The pizza smell is
Still fresh in the air.**

Platonic love

**Sweet platonic love-
Deeply inlove with someone,
But only you know.**

Priceless memories

**Like time has not passed-
Walking through childhood playground
Priceless memories.**

Provincial flower

**Pacific dogwood-
Big white flowers adorning
Beautiful BC.**

Quiet barbecue

**Public barbecue-
Just a few showed up, word is
Migra was coming.**

Quiet summer so far

**Very hot summer-
Feeling lucky, no fires
Or flooding so far.**

River play

**Playing at river-
Letting summer waters push
My canoe backwards.**

Scary snakes

**Loudest scream ever-
Stopped by my room and saw a
Piton on my bed.**

School playground

**Busy school playground-
A boy looks happy alone
Building Lego toys.**

School suspension

**One week suspension-
Again I got cut biting
On my big crayon.**

Seasick

**Travelling by boat-
Feeling seasick with bucket
Ready just in case**

Shadows and tequila

**Hot day at the beach-
Here in a shadow holding
A tequila drink.**

Shell fighting

**Growing very fast-
Hermit crabs are fighting for
A new bigger home.**

Simple realization

**Forget not-Even
Among brothers there is bad
Blood, but that is life.**

Small town pub

**The fishermen club-
The name of the most famous
Pick up pub in town.**

Snake napping

**Beautiful morning-
One snake takes a nap on a
Comfy bunch of weed.**

Sneeze dancing

**An allergy twist-
My sneezing is so strong that
I look like dancing.**

Biting dirty shirt

**At the new stadium
Soccer game currently tied
Biting dirty shirt.**

Social advocates

**Advocates-One Is
Tall, the other small, but they
Have twin social hearts.**

Social inequalities

**On social conflicts-
Inequalities are the
Blood of division.**

Sorry, no address

**People still with big
Dreams with no fixed address or
Postal code-Homeless.**

Soul, heart and migration

**Unplanned migration-
My heart is very happy,
But my soul feels lost.**

Special birthday

**100th birthday-
His wrinkles show hard work and
Pure perseverance.**

Special humans

**They are better at
Everything, they think. If not,
They fight-Special strand.**

Sport fishing

**The sport of fishing-
Beauty is secondary;
Bigger is better.**

Spring full moon

**Snowy spring full moon
Landscape view from window still
Beautiful, just white.**

Starlings and funny memories

**Funny memories-
I see the starlings playing
As we used to do.**

Storm survivor

**Survivor he is-
First storm he lost his home. The
Second, broke his heart.**

Sugar Cane Flowers

**Sugar Cane flowers-
Even mild breeze let you see
Oceans of white waves.**

Sun dance at the mall

**I heard drums and saw
People dancing in circles-
Sun dance at the mall.**



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