

## SHE WAS THE GIRL

She was the girl  
Who got away  
Causing the boy  
Acute heartache

No notch  
In the girl's belt  
As she was left  
Bewildered  
By her actions

She the girl  
Who tiptoed away  
Declaring that ubiquitous  
Break up statement  
I love you  
Like a brother

He the  
Sensitive teenager  
Who recognized  
He was  
Dumped brusquely

He so young  
She even younger  
But discarded  
Is discarded  
Loved as a brother  
Or not

Humiliated and uncertain  
Of what crime  
He had committed  
As she chose  
To go  
Underground

Concealing herself  
When she passed him  
In hallways  
And stairwells  
In life

Neither erased  
From their minds  
The effects  
From that  
Early time

And yet  
They lived  
Happily ever after  
Almost

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