

# HAIKU A DAY

The power of Soup

Is not to be trifled with

Do not mock its strength

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Iowa again, this time for my brother and (new) sister-in-law's wedding. The day went smashingly, there was good weather and excellent cake.

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Download this and previous HADs at the website, so you can print out your own (DIY, yeah!) or if you want me to send you one, send me your address, and maybe a stamp if you are feeling nice. Or send me something you've made — trades always appreciated, postcards are nice too.

1 August 2010

A sandwich, layered  
Towering tome of tasty  
Laminar goodness

2 August 2010

Getting confused, stop  
Simple things making no sense  
Return tomorrow

3 August 2010

I will beat this thing  
Oh yay, I have beat this thing!  
Still have to beat this.



I don't get it either.

25 August 2010

Getting mail is fun  
But it does not compare to  
The fun of sending

26 August 2010

A cool breeze blowing  
Causes dancing to break out  
In the window shade

27 August 2010

Over and over  
The same question, same answer  
Stop asking me that

28 August 2010

Baking ensuing  
Broadcasting a tempting smell  
Through the apartment

29 August 2010

Our path meanders  
All over Ypsilanti  
Wanderers not lost

30 August 2010

Random road closings  
A riot of orange appears  
You're not getting there

31 August 2010

Procrastination  
Tells me to pack tomorrow  
Instead of tonight

4 August 2010

Cup, sitting lonely  
Waiting for a saucer friend  
Slowly growing cold

5 August 2010

This automation  
Beating into submission  
Things recalcitrant

6 August 2010

Like sand falling down  
This hole, while getting undug  
Goes but a trickle

7 August 2010

An album boring  
Has the most sublime cover  
The devil, hot dog

8 August 2010

There are two sevens  
One in the morn, one evening  
I picked the wrong one

9 August 2010

The cake, while tasty  
Left over a knife to clean  
A cutting mission

10 August 2010

Heat and pressure yields  
Layered shiny, troubling  
Too much, too little

11 August 2010

Oh sweet sweet cupcake  
While your frosting is pretty  
Your filling tempts me

12 August 2010

One task now finished  
Reveals three more yet to go  
An endless slogging

13 August 2010

There is Thai for lunch  
Then it is Thai for dinner  
I'm okay with that

14 August 2010

I can see the days  
Growing shorter with each week  
Fall glowing closer

15 August 2010

Thin clouds, riding high,  
Are no respite from the Sun;  
The shade, welcoming

16 August 2010

The new toy delay  
Waiting for delivery  
Testing your patience

17 August 2010

An idea, bursting  
Explosive, a problem solved  
If it just made sense

18 August 2010

Boop boop boop boop boop  
Stuck in my head, the song goes  
Boop boop boop boop boop

19 August 2010

Slowly the minutes  
Marching forward to the past  
Encircle hours

20 August 2010

Forward, back, around  
Rotation becomes a line  
I drive home from work

21 August 2010

A soft mist of rain  
Clouding the entire day  
Rare clarity shows

22 August 2010

That's where that book went  
Nowhere close to a sane place  
It's hiding from me

23 August 2010

Late night bike polo  
Deep in the parking garage  
Bright light in the dark

24 August 2010

A bowl of lentils  
Whispers when my finger stirs  
A sweet melody