

Hidden

Exposed
They sense you're different
I am different
But how do they know
For isn't it enough!
Though subtle
The first blow
Is always the hardest
Though you tried
I've tried
Efforts were made
Though this could
or may never be enough
Vulnerable
Alone
Isolated
If only words could come out to
explain
For they won't understand
They failed to see what's before
them
Self-esteem ripped out of your hands
My hands
Stupid
For how long were you going to
hide
I would hide forever
if you would only let me
cover up weaknesses with ingenious
compensatory strategies.
Fraud!
that's how you make a living
I make a living
Exposed!
For it will never be the same
to say I just wanted to fit in
You just wanted to fit

But reminded bitterly
By all actions
Words need less be used
No, you are different and could
never truly fit in
Sad
but true
it's a battle
you may never win
Or is it
that there is nothing wrong
Or should I say there is no challenge
that I face
You face
Blind for they see nothing
An it's now preferential treatment
u seek
I seek
Hidden!
For whether it shows itself
or not
the everyday battle still continues
There are difficulties that lie beyond
what the eyes can see
Explain!
But will you remember
Tomorrow or the day after that
You forget with eyes wide open
And I will continue coping
An hoping you remember
Cause I will remember
It's Hidden
Sorry I still owe you
An apology
An explanation
But I don't understand it myself
And you don't get it

It's as though it hides or is hidden from me too

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