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# Identity

They All try to look the same  
 All of them try to give themselves A name  
 pick on the girl who is All Alone  
 just because her identity is her own

What has the world come to?  
 All this wrong that people do  
 just for the image they want to show  
 down the evil path they seem to go

Fist punch  
 Foot crunch  
 Hand hit  
 Mouth spit  
 Eye swells  
 Can't see  
 PLEASE,  
 PLEASE  
 Let me be

Rips my homework  
 Steals my money  
 Grabs my lunch  
 Thinks it's funny

Through the doors  
Up the stairs  
Face is bloody  
No one cares

The next person you go to hurt  
or try to make them feel like dirt  
instead of trying to look cool  
feel for the guy you make look like a fool

A cool identity isn't a need  
let those you bully be freed  
Your identity should be your own  
A better person you will be known