

Beat Bullies

“I don't want to go to school today.”
“Feeling sick again like yesterday.”
Beating myself up over fright.
Crying myself to sleep at night.
Wishing, praying you don't find me,
I'll hide in the shadows silently.
I'm hungry today; please don't take my lunch money.
You laugh and joke but really it's not funny.
You punched me hard
Is this the end?
I've wanted you not to do it for years,
But all you did was produce more tears.

Katie M

View from the other side

Bullying, think twice,
Should I really roll this dice?
What do the other kids mumble?
When I make them fall and stumble?
What's the point?
Making kids cry,
Only for the pleasure of mine?
Punching, kicking, name calling,
Beating them up and see them falling.
I tell my parents,
They mumble and groan.
Bullying makes me feel all alone.
The next day, I see the kids play,
Maybe I will join them one day.

Arjun