

LOVE MAKES THE WORLD GO ROUND

I'd never hitched up
a tow bar before
& I don't win
gold cups for
mechanical genius
so when I finally
got the thing
so it wouldn't
fall off
I asked this
guy in a
gas station
to take a look &
see if it was right --
I had to go
30 miles thru the
mts, you see.
He stared at
the thing
for about 10
seconds & then
shrugged.
Looks fine to me
he said
& walked away.

DOGS

there are 15 to
20 dogs
strung out along
the alley
out in back.

they are
little dogs &
big dogs
& they are
all on chains.

they go berserk
each time a
kid goes by
or a
service truck
pulls up.

they are very
nervous almost

hysterical dogs.

supreme misfits
like their masters,
neither needing the
other anymore &
neither knowing
how to
call it off.

WEIRDOES

My wife & I are
getting worse
it seems
clothes going to
rags, no cosmetics
in the house,
haven't bought food
in cans or boxes
in years.

Walking around the
town like that,
saying just about
anything that
comes into our
minds -- it makes
people uneasy.

Sometimes in the
mornings we lie in bed
for hours, doing things
they've never dreamed of.
It always takes awhile
to remember that
they're out there.