

## Short & Sour

An ounce of silence is worth a pound full of dogs.

For later flowers, if we but endure,  
Misfortune makes a good manure.

He seemed warm and open, sort of like an armpit.

### **Thanksgiving Blessing**

Thank you, Lord, for what we've got.  
The turkey's dead and we are not.

Loudest laughter may snarl after.

To retain his professorship, he published a cemetery of dead ideas with footnotes for headstones.

**Infatuation:** love so intense, beautiful, and brief as to be unachievable by the secure.

If thine eye offend thee, pluck out the plug on thy TV.

### **Quack?**

A New Age healer  
may improve on your luck,  
but listen well  
to your inner duck.

A sperm can find an egg quicker than you can find your slippers.

She sued the mirror for visual abuse, and a lenient judge upheld it.

### **Exec**

His expensive suit, his teeth so flossy,  
His wrong decisions at his desk so glossy,  
His colorful charts less gainy than lossy--  
Could it be that he is a lousy bossy?

**Base:** what businessmen are always touching and covering.

**Dysfunctional family:** a discontented container containing the uncontainable.

**Mountain:** a failure of air to occupy a high altitude.

**Calendar:** a device for scheduling the unpredictable.

**Television:** square thing in the corner that sucks in brains and spits out giggles.

Every Christmas the uninformed buy the unnecessary for the ungrateful.

The spouse who loved the caterpillar may hate the butterfly.

There's something about food that rubs off in you.

Behind his smile, agendas.

**Infra-babble:** what meditators hear sometimes, deep inside.

Higher education trains the mind to feel good later by making it feel terrible now.

Overachievers start out restless with a heart of worms, and may end up friendless with a heart of snakes.

**What If?**

What if scant truth be known,  
And no disciples knew this?  
Their gurus they'd enthrone,  
Who'd smile and let them do this.

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