

## **Different?**

The impish figure sat sheepishly  
Pushing the green concoction within the encircled boundaries,  
Overshadowed by the giant of a man directly before her  
Who viewed her with regard and tender affection.

She appeared lost among the many strangers  
Sensing this he touched her with his words.  
Instantly she responded to his cheerful banter as  
The walls tumbled down and the newcomers  
Grasped her with open arms.

His concerned caring knocked down the doors of trepidation  
And we were treated to a new depth of love.  
Different? Perhaps; no preconceived notions here  
The young innocent bursted with love.

The children did not need a window to see it  
But we did, and I thank the tender titan for the adventure  
I have known the massive man for years...  
He never stood as tall as he did then  
When he gave us a lesson in caring and love.

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