

Injustice Lies at the Roots

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Major: Dual Enrollment

“Intolerance is itself a form of violence and an obstacle to the growth of a true democratic spirit.” - Mahatma Gandhi

Those who slash with swords, weapons made of words
Those who were raised to be superior lash out
Those who look at someone different and fear the worst
Families torn apart unwillingly
Injustice lies at the roots

Voices, thoughts, emotions squashed without hesitation
Brutal wounds where eye meets the soul
Captured, prisoners of home
Stagnant society, incapable of forgiveness
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A hidden pathway to war
Painted with the blood of civilians
Stubborn ways wrapped in fault
Happiness crushed with the flick of an eye
Injustice lies at the roots

Deviously masked with sweet thoughts
Transient from one moment to the next
Original ideas and opinions unwillingly pushed aside
By those bearing a chilled heart
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