

Adam formerly of Eden saw a snake while tilling the ground

He was tempted to kill it, then, he saw it shed its skin

All in one piece the snake left it behind, a perfect shape of its former self

Adam picked up the new snake—bright and shiny

The evil serpent had transformed into God's messenger

It was silent, but Adam could hear it say:

"Do as I do. Set your face like flint. Set your face to flint

Until the slough breaks

Don't run away from agitation, temptation--that itch

Go through it.

You'll come out new