

## Poem 1 - Soberly Intoxicated

Alas,

I am contemplating

Amidst my thoughts of confusion

Not knowing the difference between truth,

Deception

And the lies

That cloud my mind.

Like the ominous shadows an eclipse casts

Over the Sun

Causing the earth to fall into uncertain darkness;

As do I

In this moment of reminiscence and repentance.

Paralyzed,

The chaos and perplexity

Erupts intensely from my head,

Saturating the room

To a point of overwhelming suffocation.

Yet inside

This contemporary void of ambiguity

Leaves one longing

For more than air.

Now numbness sets in without a care.

Consume me whole

Like the emptiness inside

Maybe then

The feeling of nothing

Will feel alright.

Poem 2 - Satisfaction

Satisfaction,  
When will it start?  
Satisfaction.  
Why go without?

Close your eyes  
Soon you'll find

Ignorance is NOT true bliss!

Come back down  
From that fluffy cloud nine.  
And watch your step  
Because the first is all but kind.

Satisfaction.  
Have you felt it yet?  
Satisfaction.  
Will we ever see ours come 'round?

Place your bet.