<u>Avatar</u>

man oh man, I saw God yesterday.

She had no front teeth,

yards of ink,

and smelled like beer.

She talked incessantly

of happiness,

of our responsibility to others.

She was cheerful and filled with goodwill.

And she wouldn't mind more beer.

Then off she went to bring the good word to others.

Amen.

But I Digress

Two roads diverged in Speonk, but that's no surprise. Only roads imprisoned or entombed trudge wearily in place to predetermined ends. They will merrily diverge themselves, the scamps, at every chance they get, to lanes and byways, trails and paths, specific and directionless, until they lead to nowhere, or more correctly who knows where.

<u>clay man</u>

will you see

the clay man in the corner

with a surface rough

like choppy waves

cracked and

dry and

hard

an enhancement and a decoration of a space

where no one goes

Policy Statement

In response to inquiries as to the optimum course

of action when fundamentally unsuited to

the fulfillment of the dominant paradigm:

tough shit asshole

Do what you're told and like it, and we may let you breathe until air becomes rare enough to meter.

or die

We don't care.

Little Sister

Peace be with you, tick, winner of the "Most Maligned" for all these many years, sharing life and passing it on, just like all of us, in your own little way, just like all of us