DAY BY DAY
I WALK THAT ROUTE
KNOWING MY WAY INSIDE OUT
NO MATTER AS BLACK AS NIGHT
OR AS BRIGHT AS DAY
FOR THE BACK OF MY HAND
PLEADS NO CONTEST
PUT ME AGAINST ANYONE
I WILL PROVE I'M THE BEST

I TRAVEL ALONE ONLY DREAMING OF THAT RACE THINKING ABOUT THAT FINISH LINE AND THE SMILE THAT SPLITS MY FACE REMEMBERING THE DAY IN FUTURE'S PAST WHEN I STAND FAR ABOVE ALL THE REST LOOKING DOWN TO SEE WHERE I USED TO BE POINTING MY FINGER AT THAT PERSON AND WONDERING IF IT'S ME THAT TIMID, YOUNG BOY FULL OF REGRET **CRYING TO THE MEMORIES** THAT STILL HAUNT HIM YET WHEN HE STOOD SIDE BY SIDE AMONG ALL THE REST BUT NO MATTER HOW HARD HE STRIVED HE NEVER MASTERED THAT TEST HE NEVER CROSSED THAT FINISH LINE AND HE ALWAYS FINISHED LAST

Mother screams
and baby cries
mother knows what to do
so baby dies
why did you kill your child
your baby could have lived
and had a better life
than the one you're living in

mother lays on the floor
in a pool of blood
she has to clean the mess up
before anyone comes
out of the window
goes the nameless face
wrapped in a newspaper
to hide the disgrace

Mother screams
and daddy rushes in
she says "baby can you hold me"
"I need some comforting"
I tried to do
what I thought was best
so I put our baby to sleep
before she took her first breath
you see I had something different
for us in mind
and to have a baby now,
is just not the right time

Daddy screams
as mother dies
mother lays in a puddle
with open eyes
looking up at her prince
as bold as can be
who begins to show the tears
of his lost family

mother screams as she pays for her mistakes daddy cries as his dreams end today mother screams as her baby dies this way daddy cries as mother screams in pain