

# Story Of An Artist

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Others aren't so bold

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Saying, "Hey! Get a job!"  
"Why do you only do that only?  
Why are you so odd?  
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We don't think anyone ever will.  
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And this problem's made you ill."

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The artist walks alone  
Someone says behind his back,  
"He's got his gall to call himself that!  
He doesn't even know where he's at!"  
The artist walks among the flowers  
Appreciating the sun  
He does this all his waking hours  
But is it really so wrong?

They sit in front of their TV  
Saying, "Hey! This is fun!"  
And they laugh at the artist  
Saying, "He doesn't know how to have fun."  
The best things in life are truly free  
Singing birds and laughing bees  
"You've got me wrong", says he.  
"The sun don't shine in your TV"

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