

## **Family Collection**

### **You get what you're given**

#### **Haiku**

##### **Askance**

A dark-haired baby.

Fair-haired couple looks askance.

Choose love, not the genes.

#### **Cinquaine**

##### **Sister**

Sister.

She alone knows

My dark, my shame, my fear

Yet in a wordless place of love

We laugh

#### **Limerick**

##### **Somebody cool**

My dad was a profligate fool

My mum a cantankerous ghoul

My tragic fate's set

If they hadn't met

I could have been somebody cool