## **Children Poems: List and Actual**

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#### 1. Lad and a Lab

There was a Lad who thought he was a Lab So a bone he would lick And a stick he would pick Until he had enough of it.

#### 2. Nevermore

There was a girl who wanted to fly So to a kite she did tie Above the clouds she did soar To be seen – nevermore.

#### 3. Humble Pie

I grew up in a store, a bakery to be sure And what wonderous things I did find For instance, to eat humble pie Made me more of man in time.

### 4. Money and Honey

As markets climb, so does money So to spenders, it seems like honey But when the Bear comes at last One learns the meaning of the word "Crash".

### 5. If I Were King

If I were King, I would give everyone a holiday So think of all they would do Like visit a park, a museum or a zoo.

### 6. Bottom Up

I like to travel, as I think you do Visit a country like gig-a-lo Where people climb trees from the bottom up With the feet in the air as well as their butt.

### 7. What is a Word

I play games and though it may seem absurd I take a dictionary and pick out a word. Try it once and you will find, that language Is hard to define.

#### 8. Peas Please

Tomorrow, I will get up very early Because I know what I must do

Before my mother picks them To put them in a stew

I will sneak up to the pea patch That is where they all live

It's way outside the house High atop a hill

I have to be very careful When I open up the gate

I must talk them quietly To warn them of their fate

"If you stay here much longer You will end up my Brother's plate"

I will open up their little sleeves And roll them down the hill

I can see from all their faces They are new to the thrill

Of bouncy up and down Just looking for a home

I see the birds come flying The mice are all about

My Mother she is yelling My Dad's the color green

My Uncle Joe is laughing My Brother is not to be seen

But I am very happy To see that they are safe

Hidden in the bushes below I am sure they see me now

The savior of the family The one who let them free

I have much to do That I now know my life's fate

To free all of mankind's' vegetables From someone else's plate.