Montage is your creative arts column. Each week we will feature one student's work poetry, short stories, graphic arts or photography. Contributions should be addressed to Kandy Biggs, Excalibur.

The 9th Grass-Symphony

Softness of the dewy grass the leaping heart resounds and every blade of green is wet and every blade warm to my tiny touches of the morning hour earth flaming rays of sun first meet the green then i. Hello? Hello. Hello? Whare am i? Who knows. Where have gone red rays of

Here I am, red rays of sun playing in the dewy grass.

#### POEMS BY ADAM SCHNEID

(metta's fires burn in swirls around the blazing heart) the night is alive for all calls the never met antiphony calls in every unseen creek in every thing responding to an empty blackness quivering along a string of space extending to a new unknown until all disappears into a rosy hew and the cavern beats on.

**Festival Ding Ding** 

glue-forest-tones crawl out in deepest night the vladimire brushes speak symphonies of undone harvest symbols of the sky

mriads of floating words that climb on and on without an end to musical climbing

anon the harp calls within the rushes and the fleeting airs return and the night encompasses the forest love.

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by Bill Novak

TIME is the biggest hangup. It always has been. Nobody can help. Saint Augustine answers me: "What then, is time? I know well enough what it is, provided that nobody asks me; but if I am asked what it is and try to explain, I am baffled. All the same I can confidently say that if nothing passed, there would be no passed time; if nothing were going to happen there would be no future time; and if nothing were, there would be no present time.

Well I was delighted. I must admit that Saint Augustine did not have a great record in solving my problems. I went back still further, to the Preacher, who answered:

That which hath been is that which shall be.

And that which hath been done is that which shall be done.

And there is nothing new under

With this I had no quarrel. But it wasn't my idea of a solution. I talked over the matter with my Siamese cat - she's usually rather understanding. She sort of smiled quietly, and then said "You think you've got problems, just listen to this:

There were once three tortoises (she went on to tell me) an older one, a medium-size one, and a little one. (then she explained that a tortoise was like a big turtle with finesse. I told her I wasn't that stupid, and to please continue.) One day when the three of them were out for a walk, the big one said to the other two: "Let's go and have a cup of coffee". There was general agreement, and they went into a restaurant. No sooner were they seated than it began to rain rather heavily outside. The big tortoise said to the little one: "Son, I'd really rather not go home in the rain. Would you run home and get the umbrella?" "all right", answered the little one, "if you guys promise not to drink my coffee". They agreed to this, and he left the table.

Two hundred years later, the older one said to the middle one "I guess he's not coming back. We might as well drink his

coffee". Just then they heard a squeaky little voice from just inside the front door saying: "If you do, I won't go!"

Then she (the cat, remember?)

mumbled something about everything being relative. I wasn't listening. I watched the sun rise quickly and I fell asleep in the middle of the floor.





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