



Humanity

A stroll along the empty avenue
Belies the full horrific tale
Of what it was to be Jew
At that time of war so cruel

The sun it shines upon the walls
My mind ablaze with thought
The trees, they stand so proud and tall
Where once people were but naught

How could that be, when man on man
With all respect and emotions vanished
Where pain and torture is the daily norm
And all humanity is banished

Today we come and stare in awe
Try to think and take it all in
And hope on hope, to the skies implore
That we learn from that terrible sin.

(Auschwitz 2017)