

I Had a Great Day

By Ruth Romer

I woke up too late,
So I bumped my head.
Caught in my covers,
I fell out of bed.

I stepped on my dog,
And he bit my leg.
I hopped to the kitchen.
Mom dropped my egg.

I missed the school bus
And ran all the way.
My teacher called out,
"No recess today!"

I knew five questions.
The rest I just guessed.
My spelling was wrong.
I sure failed that test.

I had no lunch money.
My stomach felt bad.
No hot lunch for me.
The lady looked mad.

I sat on the stairs,
My head on my knees.
The new kid sat down.
"Let's go climb some trees."

We walked to the park.
We talked all the way.
I made a new friend.
And I'd like to say,

That after all that,
I had a great day.