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Walk a Mile in Their Shoes

Ndaba Sibanda

they spat her out fast

like salty and smelly

and filthyphlegm

out she was flung

after saying things

like a lost missile

from hero to zero

from champ to crap

from fighter to fake

that's when I saw

that's when I agreed

that bigotry is bullshit

people can hug it

folks can hide it

but it's a cancer

that turns `round

not only to haunt but

also to eat up the keeper

I never thought

in this day and age

there was such a man

it turned out he was a moron

living on his moon of mischief

saying ladies from the other side

are mere sex-dolls and tools

to achieve his domination goals

and a sinister dilution agenda

that was in line with a bigger agenda

of denigration and swallowing up

and distortion of history and reality

soulslashed out at his impetuous antics

and insults and told him to pace a mile

in the shoes of the victims and women

than to seek to resuscitate a fallacy
or revive a long-known lie from death
because his calls were unconsciousness

I`ve never seen such courage and outrage
when they said he was an unused sperm
I knew he had brewed a sleeping storm