## Letter Between a Little Boy & Himself as An Adult

**Abney Park** 

- ''Robert as boy:'' Dear Mr. Brown, One day I'll be you and Alth ough I'm only eight now, You need to hear my rules Never stop p laying Never stop dreaming and And be careful not to Turn into what I'd hate
- ''Robert as adult:'' Dear little boy, I'm doing my best up here but It's a thankless job and Nobody feels the same You work lo ng hours Watch your credit rating Pay your taxes and Prepare to die
- ''Jody Ellen:'' I have tried to keep my soul I lost the fight to keep a hold Now I am not awake Now I'm not awake
- ''Robert as boy:'' Hey Mr. Brown, That can't be what life is li ke! I've watched some movies, And I've, I've read some books Li fe should be exciting And sometimes scary but What you're describing doesn't Seem worth the time
- ''Robert as adult:'' Hey little boy, I think you are always rig ht I've dropped that worthless life and I'm moving on Life shou ld be adventure I'm stealing back my soul I've lost too many ye ars now I'm awake
- ''Robert and Jody Ellen:'' You were right I nearly lost my soul I will fight to steal back my soul Now I am awake Now I'm awak e