

# Abused

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Now that everybody's worn the expression  
Not that you wanted to use  
It seems untrue now  
But the funniest thing is  
It fits you now  
To a perfect T

You may never understand this affliction  
Although you feel the effects you feel  
Bruised now, body and mind you feel  
Used now, almost all of the time  
Been abused  
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Sunday morning in the aisle with my brother  
Watching the men in black tell the youths how  
You're supposed to behave, and tell the truth now  
You don't know what you're saying  
We've been abused  
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Other people see some evil intention  
But the closer you get  
The more you get confused how  
Why does everyone know  
Been abused now