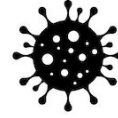
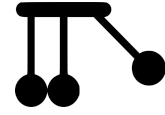


Coronavirus 2019

Coronavirus has shaken the human world
Making us understand the stark realities
Showing the “true us” in the mirror, that we are no good
In being sensible in our behaviour and lifestyles.



In Physics we all have learnt the famous principle
For every action, there is an equal and opposite reaction
In a similar way nature is teaching us the moral
That we will suffer as much as what we cause in destruction.



In spite of being a small particle in the solar system
We carry a strong ego of our knowledge and capabilities
Now an equally invisible virus has taken over our lives
Unfortunately our ego is still maintaining the momentum.



Pandemics are not new, there were many in the history
The learnings from those should have been in our habits
We forget all of them in the name of modernity
Ridiculing them as outdated and senseless protocols.



The immediate future is not going to be as usual
We have no choice but to welcome the new normal
Bringing back some old and time tested practices
Also following the new and suggested procedures.



The irony is, one's indiscipline not affects them alone
But can endanger the whole community
The fears of the virus will only rise, so we can be safe
Only when we get the vaccine and the immunity.



Nature gives us, all the signals for us to know
We don't heed to them and continue our deeds
But still it gives us an opportunity to realize, like now
To grab and replace the old methods with the new ways.



This is probably just a beginning of many more such situations
Unless we control our greed and just take care of our needs
Unless we stop encroaching into animal world's territories
Unless we don't realize and embrace eco sustainable lifestyles.



Most of those governing and in business will not see the big picture
As they are too busy chasing the power and money
To save us, don't expect it's only someone else's duty
We better understand and fulfill our responsibility too for the future.



Be Responsible, Be Sensible, Be Safe
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