

## Kimo

### Suspended Animation

Like Van Gogh still life, fake sunflowers droop  
water-less vase, color-fast  
permanently arranged.

### Going to Pot

Sunflower droops in the pot, looking down.  
Petal-rays curl, dulling brown.  
Needs some starch in water.

As my belly sags and my muscles ache  
and the world look iffy....I  
see people go to pot.

### **Kimo:**

1. No movement in the imagery. Israeli haiku.
2. Three-line stanzas.
3. Syllable Count: 10-7-6
4. Unrhymed.
5. Usually untitled.