The Pawn: A Mad-verse Half-Kasen by Global Haiku Traditions class, Millikin University May 1, 2018

The Pawn

field trip not too sick i must go RS mother's eyes as she hands me my lunchbox bologna sandwich my favorite smiling JΡ a crow pecking McDonald's fries **RMB** moonlight shines on the greasy fry EC not too processed for my liking MB the cheeseburger drips with grease EC friday night lights at the stadium **RMB** call the ambulance someone's down that's my kid! JΡ flashing lights an unfamiliar hand WS loud screams cry for help an old man RS a puff of warm breath escapes his mouth GR

bumping loudly the taste of moon pies WS a line of ants to the dogfood **RMB** making mom freak it's just a game she is the pawn JΡ forward or backward left of right BB no matter where I look i am surrounded by beauty spring has sprung MV from the pile of dead springs new life ER

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