

Little Boxes - Malvina Reynolds

Little ¹boxes on the ¹hillside, Little ⁴boxes made of ¹ticky-tacky,
Little ¹boxes on the ⁴hillside, Little ¹boxes all the ⁵same --

There's a ¹green one and a ¹pink one, And a ⁴blue one, and a ¹yellow one,
And they're ¹all made out of ⁴ticky-tacky And ¹all look just the ⁵same.

And the ¹people in the ¹houses, All ⁴went to the ¹university,
where they ¹were put in ⁴boxes, And they ¹came out all the ⁵same --

And there's ¹doctors, and there's ¹lawyers, And ⁴business ¹executives,
And they're ¹all made out of ⁴ticky-tacky And they ¹all look just the ⁵same.

And they ¹all play on the ¹golf course, And ⁴drink their ¹martinis dry,
And they ¹all have pretty ⁴children, And the ¹children go to ⁵school --

And the ¹children go to ¹summer camp, And ⁴then to the ¹university,
where they ¹are put in ⁴boxes, and they ¹come out all the ⁵same.

And the ¹boys go into ¹business, And ⁴marry and raise a ¹family,
In ¹boxes made of ⁴ticky-tacky, And they ¹all look just the ⁵same --

There's a ¹green one, and a ¹pink one, And a ⁴blue one, and a ¹yellow one,
And they're ¹all made out of ⁴ticky-tacky And they ⁵all look just the ¹same!