

PlayStation: War Is Not a Videogame

Description

He was just a normal, ordinary high school boy. His Game Boy and his X-Box games gave him great joy.

He was the best guy at those games.

But it was only for fun

Till the recruiters came.

He joined the Army then,

And now his claim to fame

Is his high score killing human beings without getting blamed.

She was just a normal, ordinary high school girl.

Her X-Box and her Game Boy really rocked her world.

She was the best girl at those games.

But it was only for fun

Till the recruiters came.

She joined the Army then.

They taught her better aim,

But when civilians died her guilt could not be restrained.

Bang, boom, deedlee-ee beep

Recruiting stations these days

Use simulations

Where kids sit in tanks and blow up bad guys

From foreign nations.

Recruiters tell the kids

War's like a videogame,

But after real-life battles kids are never the same.

Most kids feel immortal and think they can't die.

They can't imagine injuries might wreck their lives,

Or that post-traumatic stress

Can shake up their brains,

And leave them depressed.

Recruiting stations wear

PlayStation camouflage.

Don't let them draw our kids in with a high-tech mirage.

Category

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