

by Casi Orr

why can't we just run away?
why can't we just leave all
this hate and crime?
why do we need to stay
no one cares if we leave
this stupid place.
let's get a little place
let's get a home on our own
or we could just live a little.
what is so wrong for a girl to have
adream?
don't they care that they are ruining
us?
holding us captive in their world?
they do not
notice they are suffocating us?
why can't we just run off to Rome,
Italy, Mexico, or just get out of this
town!
evryone knows me and you & me
two faced
can't trust anyone anymore.
let me just leave
let me out
why can't i just live out my own life?
is it so bad to have a plan
is it so horrible to do what
you want & not care what others
think!
you agree with the enemy?
why do you betray me
you are just like the rest
so you can stay here
live your little boring life
i'm going to leave you and everyone
else behind me!
what do you think you think you're
doing?
tring to hold me back?
i'm gonna laugh in all your faces
when i'm serving our country or
in the academy
living my own life doing what i want.
as your children ask who i am you tell
them
"she is theone who was strong
enough
to leave she wanted to and she did!"
she also decided to change her fate .
oh by the way
those are your kids following me
they decided to see who i am
not what you all say i am.
why do you hate me so?
why do i have so many enimies?
have i offened anyone
by telling the truth?!?!

Wenthold, Evers Selected for Excellence Award

The Student Excellence nominations of Sheila Wenthold and Kristen Evers were selected by the student council this week.

Sheila was nominated by Mrs. Temple for her work in Spanish. An excerpt of her nomination states: "This student's work sets a high standard for her class, not only academically but also with her character. Her generosity of patience, time and effort make her stand out in a class of extremely talented individuals."

Kristen was nominated by Mr. Nodurft for her work in Exploratory Drafting. An excerpt of her nomination reads: "On a project that took the students the entire nine weeks, she demonstrated accuracy, neatness and an in-depth understanding of the computer commands needed to complete the work. She exhibited a terrific work ethic and a willingness to help nearby students who were experiencing difficulty."



Student Artwork



by Jackie Melchert