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## Show Your Support

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It's been along time since the last Black Squirrel ad  
People were wondering, "Was it just a fad?"  
But lately the wrongs have been piling up,  
And with the appearance of Burl, overfloweth my cup.

Who is this smiling rodent challenging me?  
With his oversized binoculars, he still cannot see  
The staggering irony of planting new trees  
On a campus dying of administrative disease.

Our pres. is in hiding, student life's a mess;  
What maintenance and security do, one can only guess.  
LSG is still under the curse  
Of the ex-marine who holds the purse.

Experienced student leaders are being shoved around,  
Driving morale further into the ground.  
Students and faculty with nothing to lose  
Are speaking their minds while getting ready to cruise.

The first prof has reportedly been lost  
Through contract problems, thus showing the cost  
The administration is willing to pay to enforce  
Its will over the faculty in every course.

Our new pres. says LC used to be negatively elitist.  
This attitude's self-serving, not only defeatist.  
Our merit came not from keeping people out  
But having good students is what we were about.

**SHOW YOUR SUPPORT**

At the Second Annual All-Student Sit-In Protest for a real voice in our Campus Community  
**Sunday, April 22, 1990**

It suits him though now to make himself seem  
A humanitarian educator, the poor students' dream.  
The so-called "values" forced on us haven't changed enrollment  
It's all the student aid that's lead to mass consolement.

He says a "value-free" environ cannot exist,  
But that it's a matter of whose values you'll be held betwixt.  
Funny thing is no one here's ever challenged that platitude  
But it's widely felt a hypocrite/zealot's doubly rude.

For where most of us come from it's hateful to shove  
One's values, thoughts or opinions on those you love.  
This goes especially for places of learning  
Where teaching by example sets the wheels a-turning.

And what do students see when they turn on the news?  
A stammering president staring at his shoes.  
And what do they think when they turn off the TV?  
"This place is goofed up, but it's damn near free."

So students, my friends, what can I say?  
Our school that once was is now fading away.  
And not just the bad, but the good, too.  
If the Wood's spirit is saved, it must start with you.

I'm at the quick, Burl, where your ignorance cuts,  
So go climb up a tree and play with your nuts.



"HE THAT MAKETH HASTE TO BE RICH--  
SHALL NOT BE INNOCENT."