

I, Eye, Aye

Two-eyed beings are snared with three “eye” sounds.
If not wise, thereby, then sin abounds.
The three that tend to make things go awry:
the letter I, the seeing eye, and “Yes” (spelled A-Y-E: “Aye!”)

It was the “I” that caused the very first sin –
rebellion causing war in Heaven to begin.
Self, the I, for “first place” it did vie,
the last-but-not-least of the “Me, Myself, and I.”

It then caused the very first *humans* to fall –
heeding not God but a serpent's deceptive call.
The I (the center of sin and pride) is not shy –
still causing souls to believe (and speak) a lie.

The second eye, so we can see,
tends to focus on each selfish Me.
The critical eye, the covetous eye,
the haughty and angry eye can cause it to cry.

Known as “the windows to the soul,”
the eyes should “*heavenly* things” behold.
Self to deny, the devil to defy,
let us discern with a “wise and watchful” eye.

The last one seems harmless and simple
but can actually be just as sinful.
“Yes” is good when not a lie.
So, lastly, carefully prayerfully answer “Aye.”

Saying “Yes” when you really mean “No”
as you probably know, can cause much woe.
In all you did imply, did you plain truth supply –
every vote, what you wrote, and each reply?

Of this triple warning, you may wonder “Why?”
The Second Coming indeed draweth nigh.
Distrust the earthly “I, eye, and aye.”
But on our heavenly Father, forever rely.