

Orchid

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Me and my helmet
Such an unconventional kid
 All intense and kinetic
 St best tolerated from afar
 Not yet arrested
 And by that I mean betrothed
Though a start I am newly courted
I've just not been trusted with alters
 I'm a sweet piece of work
 Well intentioned yet disturbed
 Wrongly labeled and underfed
 Treated like a rose as an orchid
 My friends as they weigh in
 Get understandably protective
They have a hard time being objective
 So inside we cancel each other out
 I'm a sweet piece of work
 Well intentioned and unloved
 Unlabeled and misunderstood

Treated like a rose as an orchid
 You've brought water to me
 Making sure my bloom rebounds
 You know best of what
 My special care allows
 So I've lived in my blind spot
 Thought myself usual when I'm not
 And your garden is a nice spot
As long as it is brave and where you are
 For this sweet piece of work
 High maintenance and deserted
I've been different and deserving
 Treated like a rose as an orchid
 Sweet piece of work
 Overwhelmed, unobserved
I've been bowed down to but so misread
 Treated like a rose as an orchid

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