

HIPPIE

**I AM AN OLD HIPPIE
GROWN WEED ON THE MISSISSIPPI
I LIKE TO THINK
AS I ROW ALONG WITH A DRINK
THERE ARE NO POLITICIANS HERE
IT'S PERFECT FOR ME AND MY BEER
MY HAIR IS LONG
AND IN THE AGE – THEY SAY IT'S WRONG
THAT'S WHY I WONT SHARE MY BEER
THEIR WORDS STING MY EARS
I DON'T PADDLE AS I GO
I JUST DRIFT AND ENJOY THE FLOW
TO BE IN A HURRY ON THE MISSISSIPPI
WOULD AGE THIS OLD HIPPIE
SO I WILL JUST SIP MY BEER**

-James Collins