



At the Park

At the park, two black-striped geese chase
a white dog, its tail tucked down in disgrace.
Canine vs Bird; bark vs squawk.
Wings spread, protecting their flock,
a monarch ready to face

any threat. The dog whimpers & scampers away;
the goslings are safe if they don't stray.
Parents & Children; love & protection.
I long for that type of affection:
a feather-filled, tender-winged display.

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