Poem by Benjamin Zephaniah

It would not be very good if you were all the same colour,
It would not be very good if you all had the same mother,
It would not be very good if you are from the same place,
It would not be very good if you all had the same face.
It would not be very good if you all wore the same clothes,
It would not be very good as every smart kid knows,
You’re not even the same as your sister or your brother,
It would not be very good if you were all copies of each other.
I don’t want to get personal,
Excuse me if I’m rude,
But It would not be very good if you all ate the same food,
It would not be very good if you all had the same skin,
It would not be very good if you all like the same things.
In my humble opinion, we have to learn to share,
Because life would be quite strange if we all had the same hair.

We should celebrate our difference the world is full of different people,

But even though were different,
We should all be treated equal.

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