

Lead A Horse to Water



You can lead a horse to water
but you can't make him drink
Although you are convinced he should
He cares not what you think

You've done your part to get him there
That's all that he is due
Once he's there it's up to him
To do what he will do

People have a tendency
To act in the same way
You give them what you hope they need
To make it through the day

You work with them and plant a seed
And hope that they will grow
Some will bloom - some will not
You have to try to know

If they respond - you teach them how
To reach a goal or two
Show them how to persevere
And how to see it through

You give them many tools for life
And Opportunity
But in the end - it is "their" choice
To act or leave it be

I have a question in my mind
I feel compelled to ask
Did you consult the horse
before you set upon this task

Before assuming what he needs
You might consider first
Maybe you should ask him
If he "wants" to quench his thirst

