Orchid

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Me and my helmet Such an unconventional kid

All intense and kinetic

At best tolerated from afarNot yet arrested

And by that I mean betrothed

Though at start I am duly courted

I've just not been trusted with altarsI'm a sweet piece of work

Well intentioned yet disturbed

Wrongly labeled and underfed

Treated like a rose as an orchidMy 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 orchidYou've brought water to me

Making sure my bloom rebounds

You know best of what my special care allowsSo I've lived in my blind spot

Thought myself usual when I'm not

In your garden is a nice spot

As long as it is brave and where you areFor 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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