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Events: Democratic Convention (1968), Mass Shooting in Orlando, Unequal treatment towards women today (sex trafficking, unequal pay, etc.)

Macrostructure: A-B-C-D

Microstructure: a-a-b-b-(c-c)

Violence In America

(a) The Democratic Convention of 1968

(a) Was filled with people trying to prevent actions of hate.

(b) They opposed President Johnson's policies of war.

(b) When asked, "should we send troops?" he said "more, more, MORE!"

(a) Gentle, caring, innocent and sweet

(a) The perfect target men think they should beat.

(b) 1960, the decade of change was an attempt to end violence and give women a name

(b) But here we are, fifty years later and men still seem to be the same

(b) Domestic abuse, pay gap, sex trafficking, all a shame

(b) We women still go through and are the subject of blame

(a) Today almost anyone can buy a gun

(a) Even some terrorist who think it would be fun

(b) To go to a nightclub and murder 49 gays

(b) What kind of country are we these days?

(a) Why are so many black lives taken away?

(a) It's the bullies with badges and guns who think this is child's play.

(b) So what if you were walking in the street.

(b) So what if you're trying to be discreet.

(c) So what if you're dealing drugs.

(c) So what if you look like a thug.

(d) Is this a reason to die?

(d) You're justified, but justice is just a lie.