

Enclosed Triplet

One Million Mothers for Gun Control Rally

Too many shootings in our schools
in our homes and in public places.
Any gun law the NRA over-rules.

Accidental activists after Newtown
move people to take action.
Level of violence must come down.

Keep guns from hands of mentally ill.
Provide preventive services.
Too many gun suicides and accidents still.

Harder to get driver's license than a gun
not enough checks on gun owners.
Too many deaths. Something must be done.

Ban big clip guns from the wrong hands.
Guns for hunting. Guns for target shooting.
But do not meet criminal demands.

We need sane gun controls now.
Live by the gun. Die by the gun.
We must find a solution somehow.

Killers restrict our freedom to live
in a safe, nurturing society.
May **just** freedom thrive.

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1. 3-line stanzas.
2. Rhyme scheme: a-x-a b-x-b c-x-c x= does not rhyme with anything.
3. If it is a-b-a b-c-b etc. it becomes the format for Sicilian Triplet used in Terza Rima.
When words repeat used in Villanelle and Terzanelle.
4. No set meter or syllable count.