

The Silver State

The Silver State is known for gambling ways.
It's part of what remains from olden days
When daring miners, some as runaways,
Sought gold and silver all their working days.

Before these folks decided where to stay
They trained wild horses that had gone astray.
But horses in the wild still roam today,
With no apparent boundaries in their way.

With modern buildings like the Mandalay
And lights that are forever on display
Las Vegas has become the getaway
Where couples can get married right away
Without concern for who will share the day,
Nor thoughts about who'll catch the bride's bouquet.

It's also known for shows and other play
For people who enjoy a negligee.
The things that happen there are meant to stay
Just like the Hoover Dam gets in the way
To slow a raging river's overplay.
Lake Mead is now a clear blue waterway.



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