## **The Vandals**

Mom Says, "Put on your Christmas best." - Grandpa's coming down this year and it might be his last. - Why Mom? You say that ev ery time. - It seems that he's been dying ever since I was nine . - I don't mean no disrespect because he's old and mean. - But how come we invite him when he always makes a scene? - Tell me - Why Does, he hit me with his cane? - And why should I get hi m a gift if he doesn't know my name? - How come, he always call s me "Kate" - and forgets his dentures on his dinner plate? - T his could be Grandpa's last Christmas - That's what Mother said . - This could be Grandpa's last Christmas - And soon he might be dead, so be nice. - What can I say to someone 300 years old? - When he seems so content staring at the jello mold. - Please Mom, let me go out and play - or soon I will go deaf like him from hearing him complain. - I know, his life's been long and h ard - but he deserves some quiet and peace in a nice graveyard - Grandpa, I love you just the same - But I know that you won't be happy until you drive us all insane - This could be Grandpa 's last Christmas - That's what Mother said. - This could be Gr andpa's last Christmas - And soon he might be dead, so be nice. - be nice...to Grandpa...'cause he's old....and he smells, - a nd he's gonna die soon...be nice to Grandpa