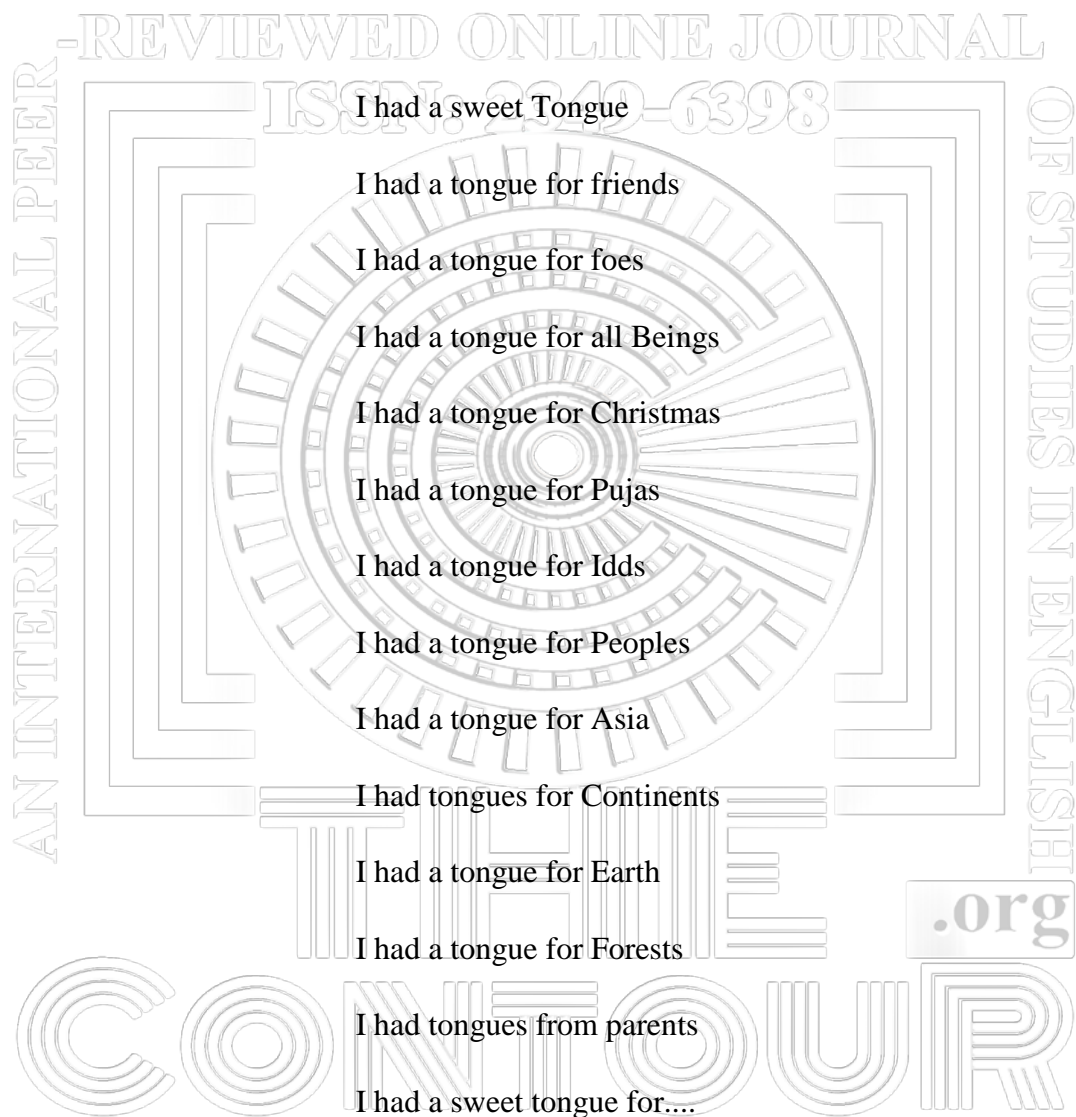


POEM

I Had a Sweet Tongue

Abdur Rakib



I had a sweet Tongue

I had a tongue for friends

I had a tongue for foes

I had a tongue for all Beings

I had a tongue for Christmas

I had a tongue for Pujas

I had a tongue for Idds

I had a tongue for Peoples

I had a tongue for Asia

I had tongues for Continents

I had a tongue for Earth

I had a tongue for Forests

I had tongues from parents

I had a sweet tongue for....



I Walk Beside My Parents

Abdur Rakib

My Parents are no more with me, but I can love them

I can tell the tales of my Heart, They patiently hear Me, I affectionately embrace Them, and

I touch their Feet in

Respect for they still guide me, I follow their virtuous

Line of livelihood, they aren't

On Earth, they still guide me

With list of Don'ts and Does

In real life, they tell me to

Love all Peoples, all Prophets , all Scriptures

With equal heart and head

I think they live with me

As best as they can, I feel

A lot and regard the Path

Of their Works in peace and non-violence...

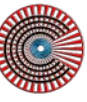
I still love to walk beside my

Reverend Parents.....

Amen.....Amen.....Amen.....

About the Poet:

Abdur Rakib is a Son of the Soil of "Rangamati" of Birbhum. He came of a famous Bengali Choudhury -Muslim Family. He was a brilliant student of Bengali, Sanskrit and English. He gladly



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He is a great lover of Social Works and Creative Arts. He has composed a good number of poems in Bengali and English. What is more, "The Award of Ideal Teacher " was rewarded to Mr Abdur Rakib in 2013 by the Govt. of West Bengal.

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