A Lockdown

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A Lockdown Dictionary I thought One day It might be useful For you For me too Started with COVID 19-Virus Meaning A Disease unknown None at ease Knowledge Understanding Use the Wisdom Given us Will it be alright soon Media boom Papers Journalist's News room Disrespect Recognition Stay at "home" Realitv Felt to some Like a prison Understandably so If no garden Don't sit waiting Anticipating Doina nothina Well do something Any Zeal Any passion Weight gain Weight loss Pretending Dying Lying Them and Us Crying Hopina Home-birth New birth Change-Rebirth Cycle-Walk-jog In short CYWAJOG Fewer cars Fewer Lorries More Buses Trains Stopped planes Environmental gains Whatever The weather Reflect deep

Come what may Fast or Slow Sick quick quick Ambulance In hospital X-ray Ventilator Poverty Riches PPE madness Countries Cultures Nations Examinations Lament Judgement Oh Lord spare us Please help us Okay Work from "home" Find something to do, Children-learn-play Everyone's affected Be protected More questions What When Who How My oh my Why Last forever Few answers Don't know All in it together Doctors Nurses Politicians Scientists Christian Church Jewish Synagogue **Muslim Mosque** Hindu or Buddhist Temple Atheist People Places Masks Faces Beaten on the head With words A carrot a stick A block or a rock Technology no hype Everything online Don't waste time Clock tick-tock Teachers Learners Preachers Hoarders Cleaners Bereavers Readers

Order of the day

Good news Bad news Breakers Millionaires Billionaires The "havers" Have "notters" Managers Leaders Tears Fears Destruction Corruption Disruption Show appreciation Time for change Time for reflection Creation Innovation Created-Crafter Drafter Or a drifter What a palaver A Disaster Plenty of Laughter Compulsory indoors Essential only outdoors Stand at ease The Disease No respecter of persons Homework Home schooling Homeworker New kind of office Closed Universities Who said we want any of this Mega rush Full on greed Thought of lack A stampede Cared to look The Book savs There is plenty A glass half full Though Shelves seemed empty Curiositv Husbands, wives Mothers Fathers **Brothers Sisters Babies Buddies** Love and Lovers Sharers Carers Haters Saddest or Happiest Dear oh dear What do we have

Here Closed for business E.g., Hairdressers Nail bars none open Is it a token Bad hair Nails broken Look horrific Perhaps Terrific Bottomless pit or Heaven No invites What about weddings What about funerals No visitors allowed Full stop Disobedience Incoherence The next thing Ha ha ha Arrested by a cop Peace and quiet Empty carriages Shut shops Ghost towns Ghost stations **Events cancellations** Woke Nothing to see here A joke No Concerts No Travels abroad No restaurants No cafes No Theatres Stresses Stubbornness Posters Flvers Protesters - fighters Rules- rulers Failures Non-adherers Clever people And Silly fools Tomorrow Today Don't Moan Play music Sing and dance Pray-Say-Ask Could it all mean Coming "home" Making the most Of Who I am Of what I've got Of what I own Gift of writing Chose to write A Lockdown

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For insight.