

## Mobile phones.

Am I the only one in the world who is never to be seen gawping at a mobile phone?

They say I'm stubborn as a mule,  
for I refuse tae own  
that great essential social tool  
they caw the mobile phone.

And that belief is rife  
because folk cannae understand  
hoo I can get through life  
without a mobile in ma hand.

I'm stubborn, I admit it,  
in resistin the illusion  
that phones in yer life permittit  
arenae juist a damn intrusion.

Believe me I feel nae regret  
or ever feel the need o a  
permanent link tae the internet  
an constant social media.

See that young wumman wi her bairn?  
I cannae help but mention  
that at her mobile phone she's starin  
while the bairn gets nae attention.

See thae twae auld pals in the pub?  
They're meant tae be guid chums,  
but there's no a word escapes their gub,  
they're juist busy wi their thumbs.

Thon walker in the countryside  
wuid never think o stoppin  
tae view the landscape far an wide,  
for at his phone he's gawpin.

It may soond unforgiveable,  
but there isnae ony way  
that ma life wuid be liveable  
takin phone calls nicht an day.

I'm stubborn tae ma very bones,  
o that there is nae doot.  
Sae juist you keep yer mobile phones,  
an I'll juist dae without.