

Evolution

Once I was a cell
absorbing fine nutrients;
now there's two of me.

Once I was a fish
swimming through plankton clouds;
what's it like up there.

Once I was a newt
I left the sea, smelt the air;
why must I go back?

Once I was a mouse
dashing through corn, what's coming;
if only I could see

Once I was an ape;
stood tall, saw far, hands that hold;
How can I use this?

Now I am a man;
admire all my mighty works.
What shall I be next?