A LEGACY OF RAINBOWS

Maury pulled me along
with some like you
Into that pool of
   Rainbows---called CSU

And as we swam
   we found a man drowning
In a sea of sand

I called to him to swim, to stand
   and find his arms and legs....
   just like mine...
He seemed to have so little time

Maury smiled and said
   What he needs is a log
   To prop him up...
He’s just a little
   down on his luck

So together we pushed him a log or two
   and when the man had caught his breath
Indeed he did what man knows best
   He swam!!!
   and you know the rest—
He passed that log on and so must you..

Because Maury is watching
   from the sky of blue and

Trusting me... and you...
   to keep the pool
Of Rainbows ...at CSU

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