How?

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How can the pen and the paper
Being so cheap and so slight
Contain such a huge hidden power
Tiny but yet full of might?
How can our own constitution
Made of this paper and ink
Influence people's decisions
Decide how they act and they think?
How can entire life stories
of civilizations and men
Be contained in one simple volume
Created of paper and pen?
How can some words on some paper
Cause us to actually feel
Concern and other emotions
For characters not even real?
The answer to all of these questions
Is not in the tools, we find
But in the people behind these creations,
In the depths of a great author's mind.

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