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Dark Days

Sammy was a colorblind racist
who bore eyes of three colors.
All of his fears seem baseless
but he is a critic not a lover.

He says he goes to all the meetings
but I don't think its A.A.
he talks of burnings and beatings
and of his supremacy each day.

I often wonder why he is so full of hate
with so much in life to enjoy.
I guess for him its easier to berate
than it is to grow out of a boy.

I hope some day he will understand
what it takes to be a man.
Love is something that comes from deep within
and not the color of a persons skin.

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Out Of Time

Humanities
chaos
third eye blinds
ravenous
plunder
solitude of mind.
Monumental
pauses
imagination to show
emotion
expression
all creation must flow.
Wonder
amazement
in verse or line
consumed
forgotten
through passage of time.
Splendor
stillness
mystery to explore
fragile
silence
broken once more.

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