

# THE QUARRY

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## Mist and Damp

As heels peck the earth  
I yearn for  
an unknown world.  
A quiet desperation,  
for mist and damp.

Pecks turn to plump  
sodden things,  
upon drowning dirt.  
A slow dance with vine leaves,  
in mist and damp.

Untitled creatures chatter  
moss covered,  
propaganda.  
A riotous reverberation,  
about mist and damp.

Silhouettes of  
long-lost-lovers call  
to each other.  
A forlorn choir sings  
to mist and damp.

Gluttonous mud drinks  
an ample deluge,  
of cold wet misery.  
A wild-place. Wander  
through mist and damp.

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