

thousands of monkey breaths
on the other side of yesterday
fussing with time and each other
beside the wild birds and extinct volcano.
the first why emerged and everything changed.
the shaking tree
moved by the wind was not the answer.
god was created to answer god screaming in its branches
with secret nests of isolation and radiance
too cold to touch.

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