

*NIGHT BOATS*

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rowing our night boats  
toward the threshold  
of an awakening  
each stroke of the oars  
immersed in forgiveness

*DANCING LEAVES*

the dancing leaves?  
oh, no, no, insists the leaves,  
we were but waiting for the wind!  
snorts from the far-journeying  
wind, huffing and puffing opinions  
and the dance? laughing, yes,  
and dancing even more

*HAIKU*

filed upon shelves  
the library of hero's  
all, with our own book

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