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Entropy

The universe is not a whole.
Valiant centripetality
(Dante's and Aristotle's love)
briefly clusters these specks which we
have briefer occupation of,
but gains no wide or long control
against the stronger counterblast.
Each unstable star
wears towards unbeing.
The flailing galaxies are fleeing
from spaces where light drowns at last,
an ultimate diaspora.