## Cycle

the slipping, the tripping
the mending and ripping
the running, the dancing,
the fun and romancing
the stopping, the sliding
the showing, the hiding
and all of the owing that keeps you in debt
the coming, the going
the undone and doing
the winning, the losing
the learning and choosing
the thinking, the being
the seeking, the seeing
and all the remembering you fear to forget

Cathy Baker

Earth Of The Meek, The Kind, The Mild; Mind Mad Beasts Of Love Gone Wild, Throw Down Their Dead In Holes Of Hate, Then Kill Still More: Then Make And Make And Rush And Push And Down The Night In Sorrow. Black Blood Flies Like Light To Choke The Stillborn, Slash The Flesh, Imprison Life In Close-Knit Mesh Of Mangled Cars, Bent Crucifixes, Arms And War Threats, Pain, The Wicked. Laughs Of Horror, Hell, Cry Out "Child", Leave Your Kind, The Meek, The Mild.

John Campbell

Everyone Wants a girl In a meadow. But ... No one wants To be a girl In the meadow. Man, picking daisies Alone Is too much For anyone No one wants To play The patsy there Being a girl In a meadow Means rape, Assault, morbidly Curious normal men Doing the possible Within lawful bounds T.V. is the only place And Dreams of man The only other place.

Norman Fougere



i am a nut
in a vacuum
... and i wish
that i were
a door knob
that someone
would turn
and
open
and find that
there is
someone
inside?

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## Indian

I watch a shadow cross her face And see the look of dying race That learns to greet her fate And like it with intensive hate.

P.D.H.

## A Modern Diatonic Scale

graft, corruption, power, futility, frustration, violence, rape, heroine, vietnam, graft, corruption, strikes, welfare, graft, corruption, violence, war, futility, apathy, suicide, hypocricy, rip-off, burn baby burn, hate, violence, prejudice, pollution, graft, corruption, futility, apathy, politics, business, education, graft, corruption, futility, apathy, incompetence, petty rivalry, egotism, selfishness, insecurity, violence, futility, graft, corruption, war, religion, socialism, liberation, futility, apathy, suicide.

R.G.A.

... touching feeling sharing

one another

knowing one another

knowing one

through the other

in the other

sharing two selves

as one ...

Thomas