The Chemistry of Common Life

Fucked Up

The algebras of the earth speak the worth To draft the laws, the vale, the midwife birth the key, The chemistry of common lifeThe speck on the bone

Grown to size by the poems

Coax the passions from the stone,

The chemistry of common lifeIron antlers fill the sky,

Metal organs fertilize,

Sparks and ingots come alive,

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Electric skies and vibrations rise the breach,

the birth, the seed inside,

The chemistry of common lifeSilver plated chaste embryo awakened by the touch

From the mater, the mother, the magnificence, the matter,

The river of steel that flows from high holy rods

Unite the dead to God creation,

The seal opens to touch the sky,

Aflame with life it burns beyond

To proclaim a marriage, a chemical bond

The chemistry of common lifeEruptions from below the sleeping face,

Molten veins and golden grains,

The power, the ecstasy, the grace,

The chemistry of common lifeHere but for the spinning of a sphere

Tease the heavens that sanctify the sky,

Liquid life poured down excites the ores,

Ignite the crust, inseminate the dust,

The cultured quartz that rises high,

The stone refined that lives and shines,

Be the vessel, be the knife

Stone and metal come to life

In the crux the cross divine

The shell, the purpose, the sublime

Fill the chalice with the blade.

Wed the maker to the made,

Grow the divine from profane,

Let the shining never fade

Between the crystal and the womb,

Astride the pistil and the tomb,

Create from parts that were a man

The stars, to hum their song again
Fill the chalice with the blade,
Wed the maker to the made,
Grow the divine from profane,
Let the shining never fade,
Be the fire in the ice,
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