

## Out past Jupiter

out past Jupiter  
you can look back and see  
how brief  
the span of your people's history  
was  
how little time you actually  
had  
how magnificent the improbability  
of all those memories love and sorrow  
the blue skies  
the thunderstorms rolling down  
through valleys  
sparkling communicating with the ground  
in flashes and sheets of water from above

the sparkling ocean you rode upon  
the curling waves you caught lifting you  
up and out

past Jupiter

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