

The Earth looks better from a star
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where we're far enough to blur the scars
of mortal life, which happens in the span
of a second--*split*
between the BANG of everything
and the *being* of it.

There's a light (like the sun)
casting shadows upon shapes
we've made and been before

but I've brought with me the red shred of wool I spun
to remember our way through the blaze.