

DALTON DAY

DENTIST

after Annie Clark

Blood explains the body / & its need / to worry / See at one
point in my life / I wasn't afraid of heights / or death / or
my limbs not being / my own / See at another point / I
could have met a king hunted / by gentleness / I don't
think it was you / I've been incorrect before / I hope I will
be again / Because the body is more than blood / It's
teeth / & static / See I am afraid of this & / that / If I am
incorrect / then these decoded days / are gone / and
probably won't be coming / back

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UN-MYTH #24

This is where moths go. That's what you say before pointing to your mouth. When you tell me things I like to listen to them. You are so honest with me. Now that I have this knowledge, I imagine all the moths in the world, fluttering around porch lights & street lights, without any idea of where they will end up. Of course, they think they are looking for the moon. You have said this thing, & it may or may not be what will really happen. But I trust you, & you trust me. Such we must do in this world of dust.