

A T O M S R A M I C K

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A T O M ! E X C L A I M E D

ATOM Ø WHAT WAS THAT THAT WE THOUGHT WE MOST
WANTED THAT WE ONCE THOUGHT MATTERED AS MUCH
AS BREATH AS MUCH AS PULSE AND WAVES OF MIND
THE RECOGNITION THAT GOES HAND IN HAND WITH
GONE MEMORY WITH RENEWABLE SENSE OF SELF WAS
IT SEX OR WAS IT TIME THAT ALLOF THAT WAS ALL ABOUT
THAT MADE YOU SAY WE ARE SEXUAL AND TEMPORAL
AND IF THERE ARE THOSE AMONG US WHO ARE SEX
UAL ARE THERE THOSE AMONG US WHO ARE TEMPOR
AL AND I THOUGHT ABOUT THOSE WHO SEEK POWER
AND THOSE WHO CRAVE IDEAS BUT MOSTLY I WANTED
TO GAZE UP ON YOUR INDIVIDUALITY FROM EVERY AN
GLES THAT I MIGHT SEE YOU AS SOME GOD MIGHT SEE
YOU WHAT WAS IT IN YOUR YOUTH THAT IS SOUGHT WITH
MY YOUTH SOUGHT WITH MY VIGOR THAT WASN'T MEANT
TO LAST THAT DOESN'T LAST FOR ANY OF US BUT THOSE
WHO FALL YOUNG THAT BALLS INTO WAD AND WISTAND
RESURRECTS ITSELF AS PAPER BOXES OF EGONOW
WE ARE WE WHAT WAS IT WE HOPED TO FIND IN OUR
SUMMER PLUNGED OUR WINTER DRIFT AND WHAT WE
RE YOUR CASUAL WORDS TO ME WHEN I CAME TO YOU
TO COME IN YOU AND WHAT DID YOU SAY TO ME AFTER
I BOYED MY GOOD INTO YOUR FAVOR WHAT WOULD YOU
HAVE SAID IF SOMEDAY I DMANNED MY RAGE INTO YOU
R PLEASE WOULD I HAVE GROWN TO HAT THE SHOVE
OFF FURY INTO RELEASE WOULD YOU HAVE SOURED OUR
OLDEN FECK WITH SOME FAIRBAIRN OF CAUSALACT
WHAT DID OUR MUTUAL LACK GIVE US THAT OVER SUN
NED DAY IN THAT BED OF OVERSWIFT CONSEQUENCE WE
RE YOU THINK I COULD WAKE YOUR HIGHLANDS THRO
UGH YOUR LOWLANDS DID YOU THINK I MIGHT BE THE ONE
WHO WOULD NEVER FORGET YOUR ANODYNER AMICK

ATOM † WHAT WAS THAT TOO SHARP SOMETHING THAT
MADE HIM DREAM HIS OBVIOUS DREAMS DREAMS WE
LL DREAM TOWARD NEAR KNOWING THE SENSELESS
NESS OF NEAR UNCERTAINTY DREAMS DREAM TAGAIN
ST THE ALMOST BEEN AGAINST THE BEING THE EVE
R ABOUT TO BETHE ALWAYS COULD BUT WONT EVER
BE IMAGINATION SCOUNTRY THE WATERY AIR ABOVE
OUR EMPTY LAND WAS THERE SOMETHING IN HIS BLOOD
OR BONES OR DEEPER STILL THAT MADE HIM INTO THIS
PHANTOM SOMETHING INEFFABLE IN HIS CELLS THAT
MADE HIM PRONE TO FANTASY WAS HE BORN THIS WAY
OR DID THE FUTURE OF HIS LIFE MAKE HIM INTO A SELF
PALE IMAGE OF IMAGE WAS THERE A PLACE A POINT IN
HIS BODY IN HIS HEART OR VISCERA OR LOINS OR SO
ME COMPULSIVE CORNER OF HIS MIND OR DID SPIRIT
LEAK OUT BEYOND HIS CONTROL AND KEEP HIM UN
DER THE INFLUENCE OF DOCTRINAL AIR OR WAS HE AN
EXPATRIATE TO THIS CONCRETE SPACE WAS HIS DREAM
ING A VESTIGE OF CONNECTION TO HIS ELSEWHERE HO
ME HIS ELSEWHERE BED WHO DOESNT FROM TIME TO TIME
DREAM OF DIFFERENT SORTS OF BELONGING IN ANOT
HER SPHERE IN ANOTHER SARMS IN ANOTHER TIME
THIS IS TIMES INSIDIOUS HOLD UPON YOUR FORM MY
FORM OUR FORM LESSNESSE EACH TO EACH THRIVEN
UPON THE VALENCE OF FOUR FEARS OF FOUR UNCOUNT
ED YEARS THE BLONDE STATIC FROM OUT OF FOUR MIN
OR IDEAS MY CHILD SPLAY IN THESE VACANT LOTS THE
VALIANT HOPES OF EVERY HEART WRAP YOUR LEGS
AROUND MY FIGHT OUR GOOD AGON OUT AT THE TIP
OF THE AVANT GARDE STAIL STRETCH MY FERVOR IN
TO YOUR WANT PROMISE HARD INTO SACRED DARK
CREAM THE VIOLENT OVAL INTO GREEN REMARK RAMICK

ATOM+WHATWASTHATTHATHEWANTEDALLALONG
YOUINYOURFEMININESPECTRALSMARTSFROMTOW
HEADTOBRUNETTETOAUDDLANSYNEANDTHECALL
OWMELANCHOLYOFHISWINTRYCONTENTHISLOWE
REDFEELINGSHISLOWERORDINANCEWASTHATHALF
OFTHEWORLDARRAYWHATCAUGHTHISPLAYGROUND
STAREBACKINKINDERGARTENTHEDIFFERENCEAND
REPETITIONOFHELIPPEDANDLASHEDTHESOFT
SUPERIOROTHEROPPOSITHELOGICALBROWWHAT
FRECKLEDTHRIFTANDCOMPASSGIFTSYOUDELIVER
EDINTOHISHEADWHATBLOODWOKETHERETHEPUN
GENTACTTHEETERNALLILTAROCKETSHOTSTRAIGHT
THROUGHHERWOMBTOTHECENTEROFTHE SUNRA
DIATEACORONAOFYOUROWNFROMSOMESPOTBET
WEYOURHEARTANDMINDFROMTHEBLUESTVEIN
INYOURTHROATANDSPEAKWITHYOURMORTALTON
ALDAEDALVOICEOFTHATSOLITARYANDSINGULAR
AFFECTIONTHATBROOKSNOAPOSTASYTELLTHIS
CROWDOFONEALLYOUWONTTELLYOURSELFOTHE
MISERYOFVANITYANDTHETREASURESOFTHECHAS
ETHEPLEASURESOFCLOSESANITYANDTHEANGUIH
OFRELIEFWHATHEWANTEDWASTOBECHOSENTWICE
ADDOUBLEGENESISOFTOUCHAREBAKEDCAKEOFIN
NERWORTHARESURRECTEDTHIEFASTOLENORGAN
OFMODALWEALTHTHEREVERBERATIONOFFOURNOUNS
TOOMANYINACHURCHTHESIZEOFABARGEIDTHROW
MYSELFTOTHESHARKSOFGARBAGETOTHETINYFISH
OFPRAISETOTHEBOTTOMFEEDERSWHERE REFUSE
SINKSORDRIFTMIGHTTTOCORALREEFSANDBETORN
APARTBYASPECTRUMGATHEREDANAMATEURNO
UNUPONSHOALSOFPLENTYWHEREACCEPTANCEOFA
VIOLETSOULISSELDOMDEEMEDINVIOLATERAMICK

ATOM\$WHATWASTHATTHATTHEYTHOUGHTWASOURS
TODOTOANGUISHOVERTOLANGUISHAMIDMATTERS
OFTHETAXINGWORST SINCEWEOFTHE SHEANDHE
HADNEVERBEENEITHER OCCULTOROTIOSEASWE
OFTHEYOUANDIHADTWICEBEENADULTSSOPERFECT
LYCOMMODIOUSWITHTHELARGESSEOFTRUMPCOM
FORTMONADSINAUNIVERSALVAULTWITHOUTTHE
VEXINGWORDSOFFALLORONEWITHOUTTHERISEOF
MINDWITHOUTTHEFALLENMASSTHEMONEYTREE
ABOVEOURBEDDROPSBILLSUPONOURBETTERBOD
IESANDWESPENDOURSELVESONCHARITYOFSIN
ECUREAGAINSTTHEBLUERCHASTITYOFWORKHERO
PALANDHISCANDLEYOURMILKYPEARLCRADLEDIN
THECURLOFMYSEAHORSEWICKTHEJOLTOFTHERE
DBUDANDTHEMELTOFTHEVOTIVEHEATOURINVEST
MENTSINTHEYIELDEDNAVEMYIVORYCORONETAND
YOURBRACKISHCAVEWASWHATWEHEARDTHESOUND
SOFTEMPLETABLESOVERTURNINGASSHIELDSAGA
INSTHETOSSESOFCHANCETHEFLIPSOFDECISION
ORWASTHATJUSTTHEINDIGNATIONOFANOTHERDRA
MAKINGIFYOUWANTITCOMEANDGETITTHECACHEOF
MADELOVEINTHETELLERSSSPOKENRAVAGINGSOFMY
THORCASHONTHERAREAULDTRIANGLEHISVIRGIN
RAGEOURTRIPLINGINTERESTTHECOMPOUNDINGOF
HUMANFEIGNANDOURVOYEURISMSOFTHESWEAT
OFYOURBROWTHETOILOFHERARTYHEARTTHEROLL
OFHISSLEEVESANDTHECUTOFMYCOATACCORDING
TOMYCLOTHTHEIRACCUSATIONSOFSLOTHINTHE
SEDAYSOFCHASMANDPROSPERITYANDPAUCITY
ANDSTEALTHTHESENIIGHTSOFNOIRANDEXCHANGE
ANDBELIEFRAGINGWHATWEREWETHINKINGDIDWE
DOUBTWECOULDGREASETHETHORNYPALMRAMICK

ATOM!WHATWASTHATTHATIFORGOTTHEFOREVERLET
ANDHERTIMBERTRUSTTOLETFOREVERBETOHOLD
HERGROVEATHANDHERHEARTHATBAYTHEPETRIFIED
FORESTOFMYRECLINEAROUNDTHEAGEOFMIRROR
FAILTHOSEDEMONSOFSSUSTANDHEFTSHEHOUSED
THELIGHTTHATLITTHESEABEYONDHISARIDWASH
THETURMOILOFPROPHETICSURFOURSHORESWEPT
CLEANOFJUDGMENTYOUREYESCRIEDCLEAROFGOD
SINTENTINTRUSIONSOFTHEPASSIONSORTHEFE
LLINTOYOURLAPOFGRACEYOURCOVEOFMYREPAIR
THETANGOFYOURAROUSALSPRAYTHESALTYCRASH
OFTIDECOMEHIGHERASESURETYWITHSTORMYASK
ALLINQUIRYOFFLAMETHEBRIMMYROCKSOFFIERY
WRATHTHESATISFYOFBURNYOURSWEATPOOLEDIN
HISNAVELSWARTHMYASHSTREWNTHROUGHHER
CALLOURLUNGSOFFETALSOBANDCURLMYWEND
AROUNDTHESOUNDYOURWAVEAROUNDTHEPASTILL
SHOVEMYSHOUTINTOHERSKYYOULLCLAMPHISEAR
NESTPOUNDTHEWARMTHOFFOURHYPOCRISYTHE
SWELLOFTHEIRREPOSEYOU SCRIPWITHNIMBLEW
ORDSOFTHEFTVELOCITYOFFLIGHTSHEFLEWABOVE
THEFRAYIFOUNDTHECOMICTREEOFLIFEUPROOTED
INHERYARDSHECLIMBEDTHEPOLETOHISFIREBED
YOUCREPTALONGMYLIMBSWESLEPTOUTONTHEMOON
YSWARDTHEWORLDUNDIDITSCLASPTHISISTHEKA
IROSOFHISCOOLTHEETHOSOFMYBLAZETHEPATHOS
OFHERCHEMISTRYTHELOGOSOFYOURCAREANDIN
THETUBFORTWOYOUBATHEDMYBROKENCLAIMTHE
CLUTCHOFMYMACHINERYTHERUBOFLOCALFAMEMY
SLENDERTHOUGHTSOFNORMALAIMINFULLALARM
OFLUSTYOURRUTTEDFORCEHISSTORIEDPATHHER
FRETTEDESTMYOUTERRISKMYINNERBASKRAMICK