

SOUND POEMS & THEATRE PIECES 1965-1975

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I'D LOVE JUST ONCE TO SEE YOU IN THE NUDE (with trumpet concerto)

i i i b b b b b b i i i
i w i w b b b b w i w i
i i t o w t o b b t o w t o i i
b w w f t o f f t o f w w b
b b t o t o y o u f y o u y o u f y o u r t o t o b b
b b b f f s s y o u y o u s s f f b b b
b b b i y o u s y o u i i y o u s y o u i b b b
b b t i t s s t i t b b
b t o t t o i i t i t o t t o b
e t o e t t b b t t e t o e
e y o u r y o u r t o t o b b b b t o t o y o u r e y o u r
n e y o u r e b b b b b e e y o u r n

a	h	a	j	a	h	a	j	a	h	a	j	a	h	a	j
k	k	a	k	k	a	r	r	r	r	r	r	r	r	r	r
r	r	a	k	a	k	a	k	a	k	a	k	e	h	e	h
e	r	e	h	e	r	e	h	e	r	e	h	e	r	b	b
e	b	b	e	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c
e	c	c	e	c	c	e	d	f	e	d	f	e	d	f	e
g	g	g	g	g	l	g	l	g	l	g	m	m	np	np	c
s	s	t	t	v	v	e	v	e	b	e	c	e	n	e	n
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e	p	e	s	e	t	e	v	x							

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q u w q u w q u w q u w q u w q u w q u w q u w q u w q u w
quw quw quw quw
the sky is not blue
the trees are not black
a is not b
is not c is not

a & b
a or b
if a then b
~~_____~~
not a
not b
~~_____~~

a considered to be a sufficient condition for b
b necessarily a (as prior to it)

a

b

blue or black or
a sky against which no tree is seen

c d l r
t v d

how in the morning are you
maybe
as this day this very instant
a j k l u r v
n & being with you
as was said
b l z
3 or 4 this morning

(a m n
the coincident
tangent of the j the k the
l or c d h i
j p r
q s c

& maybe later

no

n & r & s & d t l l

CELEBRATION FOR THE PACIFIC

eeeeeeeeee
lakimonisihinaio
eeeeeeeeee
lakimonisihinaio

shnaho
shnaho
shnaho

rrrrrrrrrr
alakolakihihinatee
rrrrrrrrrr
alakolakihihinatee

shnaoho
shnaho
shnaho

eeeeeeeeee
soomamonarakalate
eeeeeeeeee
soomamonarakalato

shnaho
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shnaho

recorded version of this exists so that what i am asking you to do is to perform the poem solo or with friends its always nice to do sound poems outside the text can be altered in any way that makes it more meaningful for you in this regard i'd be glad to hear about alternate versions arrived at of this poem you can write me care of the publisher

ULM

- o
- ok
- oko
- okoo
- okook
- okook a
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- okoo ulm
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- okook ak ulm ulm ulm
- okook aka ulm
- okook akak ulm ulm ulm ulm ulm

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k k k k k k
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k o
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k o o
kkkkkkkkkk
oooooooooooooooooooo
k

IIIIIIiiiiiiii mean did you meet her did you meet her did you ever ever greet her
did you see her holy face holy holy face did you ever ever greet her
did you ever ever meet her

holy face holy face holy bells bells bells
holy bells bells bells

did you ever ever ever no i never never never what the hell

holy bells

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SONG

be tween the syl la bles
be the tween la syl bles
the be la tween bles syl
the la be bles tween syl
la the bles be syl tween
la bles the syl be tween
bles la syl the tween be
bles syl la tween the be
syl bles tween la be the
syl tween bles be la the
tween syl be bles the la
tween be syl the bles la
be tween the syl la bles

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sent to
Sh'w'je

Translation Act
to the memory of Claude Vivier

I

vive vivier
vivevivier
vivveivier
vivvievier
vviiivveier
Vviiivvieer
Vivviiiveer
Vivviiievre
VIVIVEirve
VIVIEvrive
VIVIERvive
VIVIER vive

II

VI	VI	VI
VI	VI	er
VI	er	ó
er	ó	ó
ó	ó	ó
ó	ó	er
ó	er	er
er	er	er

III

vivier mort
vive eh? more t
more u v w x y z

a vivier.
ah vivier,
ah claude
a cloud passes
in front of the sun

un

un vivier
undone

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