

The Shape of the Other¹

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The other, that unknown being
that trace, that shadow, that profile;
that figure without a face

Fleetingly, we observe it as familiar
it is then gone, back to its aphotic cave

The other, the anonymous creature
the insulted, the praised, the easily ignored

There is the other
and there! and there! and there and there!
Every one is an other one for another one

So get out of your darkness,
shine your heat into me
let me see you respire your lucid semblance
mold into my own

We are all the other
ephemeral order against our lurid sky
Pick me up, let's mix, and go back to our obfuscous life

I am no Lucifer, I'm just the other
unknown, faceless, ignored, burned
and somehow, with my own shape

¹<https://youtu.be/ZPVOsZSwnHU>