## **Grounded in Mythology**

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We questioned everything when we were still freebirds fiery and young

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High as prophets we ravenous few flew solo on great and wide campfire wings

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And gnawed loose starving and half mad from Liberty's Promethean bosom the manifold inquiries of desire-unbound

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And now more afraid to fly than fall perhaps we pigeon together on desperate psychic ledges

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Our childish questing-why? lightly fell away unnoticed like night-times childish tooth

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To be stolen by P.R. fairies, totalitarian swine and the domesticating mythologies of parenthood