sourdough

i didn't want any of it it's actually impressive how passive i was, going down. i steadily gathered all my supplies and what i thought i should be craving, and i just as steadily shoveled it calmly. i'm seasoned. i've had so much practice i shoveled it in at the pace i call home. i feel sick, but

distant.

like i know

i lost that battle

and i know i'll lose

another one

soon.

i feel sick.

i feel shafted

by the decisions

i made when i went on

autopilot —

my comfortable place —

i'm too full, now, to cry.

it's too late: i chose

safety and self

hate over

everything

i want for myself —

again. this place.

i'm swindled

by attempts

to swaddle

myself

back

to the depths

of what i know —

i'm caught straddling —

how can i be so full,

yet so hollow?

i feel

sick

and stuck

with myself. but

tonight, i have hope

for tomorrow.