

recantations

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“recantation”, *2026 March 11, 17:56*

“ambience no 1” is

a

lie

“recantation 2”, 2026 March 11, c. 18:05

“dave & busters” depicts

a

game called

“ballbusters”.

reports of

ICE

inflicting

testicular trauma on

detainees are

real

but the

game

is fictionalised

for

poetical effect.

“recantation 3”, 2026 March 11, 18:08

“social dilemma” is

a

half-truth

i would

now

prefer to be

both liked

and

loved.

“recantations 4-5”, *2026 March 11, 18:11*

“starlight” and
“lessons of mama” are
both
parodies of
rupi kaur

i have
moved away from
ridiculing or
parodying the
art of
others
as it does
nothing to
perfect
mine.

“recantation 6”, 2026 March 11, 18:14

“claude’s an asshole”

is an

attempt

at

shock humour.

specifically,

through a

tautology.

however,

its not that

funny

anymore and

never really was.

“recantation 7”, 2026 March 11, 18:17 (rev. Mar. 11, 18:18)

“inauguration” was
written while
i watched the
inauguration of zohran mamdani
live on tv

(my) speculation
that he would be
shot (luckily)
proved to be
incorrect.

i think
he is
a man with
good intentions.

“recantation 8”, 2026 March 11, 18:20

“inspiration” is

a

half-truth

the reason

why i

do

not

write like

emily dickinson

is because of

my belief

that

her style

is not capable

of expressing

the

unique struggles

of the twenty-first

century.

“recantation 9”, 2026 March 11, 18:24

“What if im scared?” is
fictionalised

i had never
drank
abuelita hot cocoa (which
the first
stanza
refers to) by
the time i
wrote it.

soon after
i tried it
and discovered
that
it does not
taste
good.

“recantation 10”, *2026 March 11, 18:26*

“What if i dont wanna say goodbye?” contains

a

falsehood

the first two

lines say:

nobody

does

this is

an

absolute statement,

meaning it requires

absolute evidence,

which

is impossible

to procure,

so

we may

assume it is

false.

“recantation 11”, *2026 March 11, 18:28*

“What if i live?” is

a

lie

it says:

you

will

i will

not

live, because

i have no

reason to.

“recantation 12”, *2026 March 11, 18:30*

“recantation 11” is

a

lie

its final

stanza

says:

i will

not

live, because

i have no

reason to.

in fact,

i have many

reasons to

live,

such as

music

leilani

revenge

and others.

i aint

givin up yet

bud.