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Anaphora

plunging  
with you

through  
the thick

Roman air  
every night

for a year  
falling into

the story  
a stampede

racing  
to earth

each syllable  
uncoiled

our bodies  
left

for the night  
to rip into

ragged  
with breathing

the future  
maybe

a few more  
moments

everything breaking  
what put us

here

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