

## Matthew

Even if all I can do for now is to name him.  
Biblical, flat

Only in name, in phonetics, not in self,  
Not in whole, in worth, in what and where he is  
In how he is, in how he chooses to be

This is all a set up, set up  
By me.  
Matthew by me, make you by me.

I was teased.  
A voracious hunger that seized  
Two time telephone ring, hung.  
Grand, hunger and –

Stop, pause.  
Not stop just step, pause.

Hold the -  
Pause. Two time telephone pause.

The fear of someone rummaging through your things.  
How do you hold a conversation?

I would like to –  
I would like to want to –  
I would like to want to anything.

To want for wanting  
Is to want for nothing.  
With endless want comes an endless met,  
A met that is never met for long,  
For longing for long is an endless met.

Tiny, tiny.

A break to break the break.

I floor.  
I hit the floor.  
The beat has no –

The rhythm comes from the rattle of a bell,  
The bell of a rattle,  
A fan. A fanned breeze

I have become accustomed to certain things in my old age,

Struggling to break the habits of a –

I miss my step.

I want to ask you questions  
But I don't want to know the answers.

Here's an idea,  
All in favor of –

Noises of pain and things  
That sound like grunting and –

And punching and ripping.  
Pounding fists pounding