Outsider

For the insiders they know

This isn't me

This is just another image

For the outsiders to leer at

Judge me as you see fit

Fit me into your opinion

If you have the time

I heed to people's advice I lose the shape of my personality

Consequently I am unimportant Another static who lost their verity

Sense me only for the bad

Even if my good weighs in full

I can bear a secret from another Yet everyone is willing to sell mine up

I take a chance on anyone and anything More chances for upcoming betrayals When I ask for silence

I earn shouts from both ends

It's always noiseless on the inside

It's always repetitive on the outside

Colors We Make Together

Your fist were lightening My screams the storm Each collision of heated passion Vocalized more than my wails The calm in our storm is as rare As the generosity you express On your moral days all I comprehend Is temporary warmth The flush of cerise when lips join On your deficient days all I discern Is perpetual hostility A perfect hue of violets and blues Scrimmaging for territory over My off-white lands

Destinations

Lies get you everywhere

Except where you need to go

Lies take you anywhere

Except where you need to be

Red Skies

To rise from hell Only to fall from heaven Appreciating the best and worst Of both societies The world blinded by hues Of powdered blues Like a comet on a summer's night Streams of enthusiasm rupture Like a saint's guiding light

In the end when I reach the line I'll suffer only this heated pain inside Will I recover or come back As someone I originally knew? Comparable to a paper crane Remodeling into something anew Transitioning into silver linings Swarming high above polluted lies Forsaking weary red skies

Bashful Spider

If asked I come across stand-offish I'm without fail close by You will never see me till I fancy My eyes outstare you down Studying every movement in time

Always twiddling with the ends of my feelers Makeshifting, spinning a thread of a web A permanent pout read as a scowl Prepared to reveal offcentered fangs More scared of you than you could be of me

Always tidying up Never satisfied with my quarters If I invite you in you will notice a few things I only display the meaningful bits Articles filled with scents that keep me grounded Along with Irregular findings from my outings

I can climb as high as I wish to But I'm always still ground level To everyone else I dream often of flying sky-high If I had wings I am sure I could But if you lack confidence You'll be shot down If I flew everybody would take notice of me At the end of my short existence I do not mind the lack of attention Like my childhood I can get by unnoticed That is the only way I am allowed to make mistakes