

Returning

At our backs
cold hands
shoving
fierce winds
and wide swells
outracing
us

Water lifting
lifting
and falling

Paddling on a
tightrope

Back the way
we had come
two days ago

Wild gusts
whitecaps
and suspense
at the
end

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