

if

if you would seek  
to blame me for tragedies  
which have happened to you  
or to others

and that is helpful to you  
in this time and place

then I certainly agree

and seek such grace  
as to do that  
good service  
for you now

seeing  
as I do  
that all others  
have been denied

but take heed my dear one

learn to steel yourself  
and close your sense  
and mind  
on this one idea  
that I am to blame for all

hold fast  
to what you are sure of  
and never look too closely  
at what you know or how

and never seek  
to know another truth  
or understand the cause

for if you should dare such risk  
to look more deeply  
or ask and listen to your pain

or to the source  
that you have assigned

you risk yourself  
your safety  
and your heart

because you need to know  
that to search for more truth  
than you have sequestered now  
might unravel you  
and who you think  
you are

and such an uncoiling  
would surely hurt  
beginning from your inside  
and working towards

your out

and then your boundaries  
safeguards  
and certain sense  
of what you are  
and what you know  
could fall  
away

and you would have to start  
again

and blindly learn to build  
your fledgling world  
anew

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