5 Poems

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I

Mildly Familiar Territory

While paging through the leaves of another’s photo album, when driving along an unknown path, talking with a person we have in common but a little, we cross, over territory mildly familiar, where we wish to remain.

II

Tributaries

As the waters of tributaries come together into the flow of a greater stream, and jointly their solutions combine in depth, thoroughly, we observe the gesture not of a single thread, but the current of a fabricated dream.

III

Temporary Truths

Although our profoundest experiences may seem but a moment, as if looking into the forest of truth while riding a galloping horse, it is the other which is temporary, changing, and we sit straight.
IV

Reformations

Looking at a formation of stars,
we saw the complex of beings inside our souls.

Looking at them again,
reformed by dint of time and motion,
we see a new surface,
like a shell,
but the creatures remain still.

V

Quintessentials

Finding the truth of our past
through the meanings of our meanderings memories,
we come upon the quintessentials of our essence and discard the trivialities.