

Amendment

so teeth we can't touch
without drastic dismantle but
we may taste shame
shared like a pet
loved against its will
pinched in exposed space
much too difficult for people
unable to halve their
own wilderness

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I remain unconvinced

these woods
are reversible

as a need is
no real evidence
of absence

these are parasites
hidden in

every ear

every chicken heart

a tendency to keep
going round

we are very rarely
at the beginning
of something

if we are home
it is by accident