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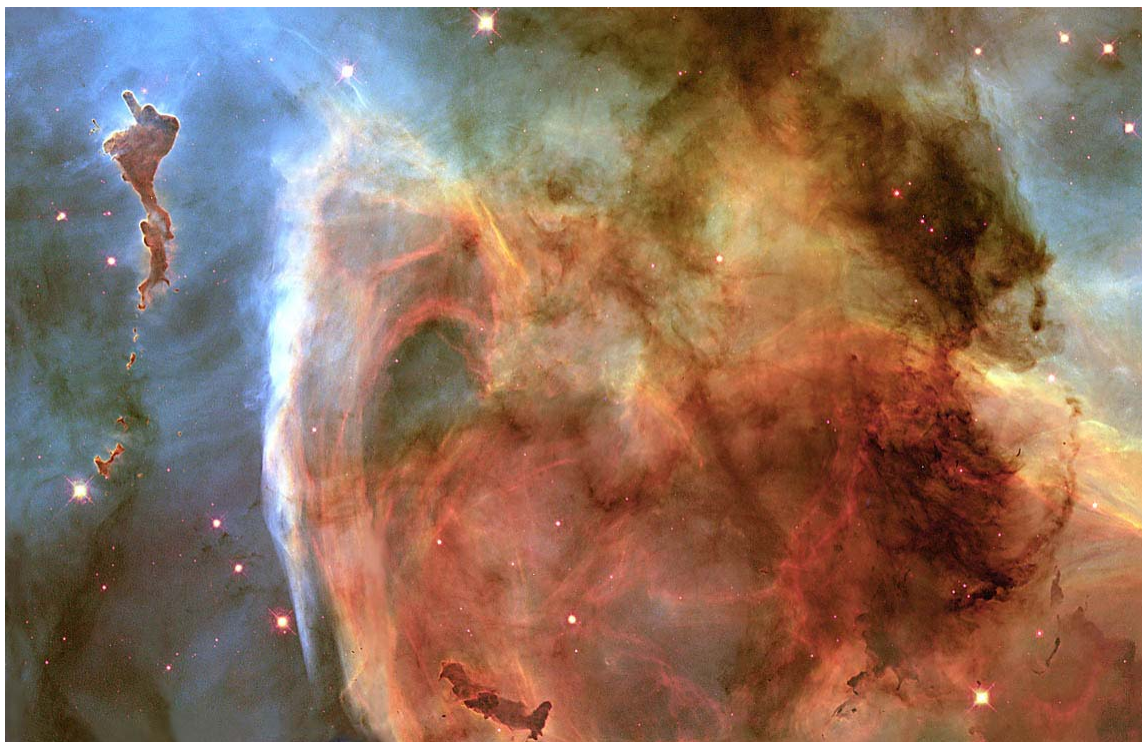
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To this day I wonder why.

What has kept me going?
The fire is burning,
Water has yet to quench.
My thirst or desire,
Are yet to be satiated.

I live, but not for me I die.
I have tried and often failed.
I have worked but not succeeded.
I have played but got tired.
I have danced without a song.

Learning and living.

The knowledge is poured in.
Funneled and filtered,
Stirred and sifted.
I let it slide, slowly
Into me.

My body is here.

Soul and spirit driven
A stoic vision,
To live according to Him.
I try, but never faultless,
Always one is forgiven.

The end is coming.

Without knowledge to me,
I am blind to the day.
When I will pass,
Not unto death;
But life again

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