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Hollow blue moon hide
 behind drench skies.

World bursting
 alive with sound

Brave tears
 mix with raindrops . . .

how his strange purple eyes tugged at mine
 (the angle of his hand
 on my face)

how his suddenly common blue eyes
 Spoke without remorse

of our meaninglessness
 our "wasted time"

Full skies pour out
 the story of our planned life together

in straight heavy rain
 that mats my hair

/
and turns the world brown