

Heart stops and starts each day  
Giving in itself away  
Like a piece of candy on the sidewalk  
It tastes the same, candy, crushed or not

Mind evicts heart for stealing its boots  
Mind says "You have no respect for property!"  
And Heart says "That's true!"  
At Turk and Taylor, Heart goes into seizure  
Fumbling for meds at Pan's seder

Heartmind

Heartmind, that burnt spot where they had met  
Old friends, doctors, teachers, all out on the street  
Tucked under the city's tongue  
Who will Heart stumble over next, its children?  
Empty ketchup packets may inherit the city  
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