

Putrescine and Cadaverine

Exhumed

Noxious decay steals the breath from your lungs
Nauseated by this necrotic gunge
Fluids leak through plastic as necrovores feast
Amino acids break down within the deceased

Decarboxylation, ornithine decays
Regurgitation, chunks haphazardly sprayed

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Death warmed over smells worse than it looks
You spew, unprepared by your anatomy books
Nostrils besieged by cadaveric vapors
Uncontrolled eruption earns your colleagues' disfavor

Decarboxylation, arginine breaks down
Regurgitation, spatters your medical gown

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The odor ingrained
Leaving a permanent stain
Your mind starts to reel
Your thoughts can no longer congeal

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