

## Searching For Contrition

Lemuria

The extended family crowds around you  
But they're all icicles  
They're just there to reassure themselves  
That they will go to heaven also  
But you are far from debt with me  
I'm waiting for something wise to be said  
As I watch you pass on in a hospital bed  
I thought maybe you could offer more  
Seeing that you have lived over four scores