

A Word If You Will

Description



Will a word change your thought?
Or will it float down the stream??a dream till nought?

Of one word you feel assured.
You have it stay.
Another seems absurd;
You make it go.
But sorting words this way
canâ??t bring you to know.

What should one ask of a saying?
â??Can I keep it while straying?â?•
â?some wonder
â??Must I be paying?!â?•
â?some thunder
â??Will it help my displaying?â?•
â?what blunder

Weighing each word against your image of you
is seeing blurred with but a thin edge in view.

That mental selfie doesnâ??t render you wealthy.
Let it be alteredâ??else youâ??ll have faltered.

Wouldnâ??t the version of you thatâ??s better
be a self-forgetful truth-treader?
No longer invincible,
a believer to principle,
youâ??ll ask of each saying, â??Is it true?â?•
not if it touches your portrait of you.

With this way of sorting sayings,
youâ??ll be done with strayings, displayings
delayings, and betrayings.
By whatâ??s true youâ??ll be made new.
True words with their true weight will wall your thoughts.
These, in turn, will reveal your oughts.

Now, will you let a word change your habit of thought?
How about this word? Grab it! Why not?

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