

## Boulder

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Weathered monolith, lichen stained, moss bearded granite prow  
Breaching lava frozen humpback head.  
What are you thinking as we speed around you?  
Ephemeral mayflies to your stolid earth swimming ilk.  
Earth splinter, do you feel the pain of being embedded  
In Her crust or are you an eyelash?  
Fuzzy igneous obelisk grazing in the meadow,  
Basking in the sun, storing warmth.  
What beings live inside your lichen/moss jungles?