

set it free

it has been said
that if you love
something
you should
set it free

this must be
why there are so many
lonely beautiful
things in the
world

so many
ripe vicious
things

and you know
it's true because
birds aren't
beautiful because
of their feathers

they're beautiful
because of their freedom

and I must
agree that
if you love
something
you should
free it

but if you hate
something
enough
you'll find
a way to
escape it

it's a common
truth

what you love
leaves you
and what you hate
leaves you

it's a revolving
door with
faces
always
coming and going

some things
weren't meant
to be tamed

some birds
weren't meant
to be caged

and
I guess
some birds
never have
homes

that's why
we have to
build so many of them
houses