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I guess there are no quarantines
We're safe from heinous histories
Where people scribble oddities

The night was been more than fair
Just ~~lost~~ ^{to} breath that clean Bay air
And as I locked my car there
I turned out from the Oakland ~~to~~ ^{Wells}
and stood ignorantly beneath the moon that ~~lit~~ ^{lit}

~~The house~~ The house was ^{up} & rather huge
Two ladies met me in their lounge
~~named~~ ^{named} ~~for~~ ^{for} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~stage~~ ^{stage}

I pray I saw
we make a world
50 miles
and deep
out here

~~she~~ ~~the~~ ~~overlook~~ ~~to~~ ~~went~~ ~~to~~ ~~work~~
I saw she ~~overlook~~ ~~to~~ ~~went~~ ~~to~~ ~~work~~
and stuffed myself beneath the moon that ~~worked~~
Discreetly moving ground
~~Politely~~ ~~correct~~
No detail had the hosts neglect
amidst them did no guest suspect
The calculations and the washes that were
Machinery grinding for the Moon that ~~lures~~

she cold
moon dies

There was culture
Now what do you think of that
Well ~~addressed~~ ^{structured} ~~with~~ ^{with} ~~care~~ ^{care} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~chat~~ ^{chat}
With ~~care~~ ^{care} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~chat~~ ^{chat}
Placed on ~~lips~~ ^{lips} to be ~~driven~~ ^{driven} to ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~vats~~ ^{vats}
whose faces outside ~~with~~ ^{with} ~~their~~ ^{their} ~~folks~~ ^{folks}
at ~~home~~ ^{home} with they were ~~like~~ ^{like} ~~bang~~ ^{bang} ~~red~~ ^{red} ~~skin~~ ^{skin} ~~free~~ ^{free}
Not ~~here~~ ^{here} they are from ~~poles~~ ^{poles} all newly ~~batched~~ ^{batched}
They stand resolute beneath the moon that ~~glows~~ ^{glows}

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I left the gathering slightly numb to go right back from what
I guess that I had learned some and looked
Politely at countless city ~~lights~~ ^{lights} where I
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