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Dissoluble



Indistinct pink disappears eventually as a memory
blushing in the afterglow
of burning coals stammering in the empty solitude
complacently displaying
charcoal sketches of dead trees looming dreamily
contradictory paradoxes
to contaminate discernment with petulant hauteur.

The Evolution of Honey



Webs of delicate lace intricately patterned maps
for honeycombed pets
emblazoned with rebellious coats of sealing wax
an ingenious invention
nectar woven locally to mass produce as money.