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Toxic toadstool hoists blood-red hood,
Pipistrelle bats hark fireflies' flight,
Blind worms consume punk-bellied wood.
Jinxed vixens bark and stealth owls swoop
Morsel death upon pygmy shrew.
Dormouse mother beside her stoop
Chews buprestid beetles' lean brew.
When windy hail bestills the riot
In dens borborygmus rumbles
Lingering hunger awaits quiet,
Silence in Nature's glen grumbles.
Dawn rooster's warning wakes foretelling
Man's false sovereignty upwelling.