

# island sided



in the  
middle of  
expanse. what it  
means. to be alone on  
a rowboat. to row. us,  
surrounded. in stretching  
silhouettes. of the shadows of. pine strata.  
comprising islands. where are the islands. edged.  
in rocks. we're rocking. through. our terror of rocks.  
how loud the crunch of rocks glinting. in stars. little  
flecks of light. and in the water. below. little flecks of  
light. the plankton endless. wells of mica glinting. over the edge.  
of the rowboat where. we're rowing. we're rowing through. a blink of.  
moonlight blinding. light as dense. as the darkness. blind the moon. with the blink  
of a lighthouse. to light. the moon's way. down to the placid. shadows steeling the  
rowboat. surrounded. with rocks and light and underneath. a glowing crush of.  
phosphorus unsleeping. a deception in. water and the discomfort. of moonlight  
under. oars and density. of swallowed water. pressure weakened. by the wake  
of. the boat we're rowing. we're rowing. we're rowing. we're rowing.  
i wonder. are we moving any  
closer. to the  
buoy