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Small Truth

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White lies,
An innuendo undone,
Spreading with rumor
As fat caterpillars
Feed on bark and sprouts
Hungering for life
While eating their way
Into idle darkness
Cocooned by deceitful webs
Transforming a small truth
Into a moth drawn to a flame.



Stacy Adams