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SOUL SEARCHINGS

by *Michael Kelley*

THE MASTER'S SONG

There
 is
 a
 place
Behind
 the face
 I wear.

No one's
 ever
 seen
with
 a thousand
 mirrors
but no
 wall
 or
 screen
to hide
 my dance
 from
 the Master's
 glance.

Where
 I
 tap
 His way
 into
 my heart

Where
 the music
 never
 stops
and
 freedom's
 really
 free

And
 the only
 song
 that's sung
 is
The Master's
 Song to me.

MEDITATIONS

OFFERING TIME

I went to church
the other day
And listened
to the pastor
And got bored stiff

During offering
A woman
Wearing
a mink stole
kid gloves
and a four-carat
diamond pendant
reverently placed
her nickel
in the plate.

PRAISE GOD FROM WHOM ALL
BLESSINGS FLOW.

AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAMMMMMMMMEN

PIGEONS

A nuisance/bother
They try
to kill
The messy
Pigeons.

But
I need
them
where the
road inside
runs
Barren
damp.

Their
Sunlit
Iridescence
wings
across
my sight
Clothes me
where my sweater
cannot
keep me warm.■

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