

***fantástico*lismo**

*Take the road less traveled
Marvelous encounters haunt you
Warning sirens give way
your fingerprints linger here
Look past the flower bed; find your
Reflection in pools of sunshine*

*Shadows bestowed upon me
I try to peel them off
memories too cold to touch
Tell me, do you see yourself yet?
surreal differences uncovering
portals taking me back to my future*

*the present contradicts my pasts
What does this treachery hold?
found in the crevices and spaces
intertwined by histories of vibrancy
Filling up faster with each moment,
I stumble over the intricacies of myself*

*Slowly, put one over the other
until you return to the beginning
Translucent versions of yourself
encased by virtuous presumptions
Mental escapsisms release while
butterfly wings flutter gently*

*Drowsy lilies floating near
Apparitions hold us tight and
gift us with seeds to plant
Nostalgic winds and weightless
landscapes indulge my yearning,
gushing out in a tormentous motion*