

The Eye In The Ceiling: Poems

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Early this morning
in a rumpled bed,
listening to birdsong
through the propped-open windows,

I saw on the ceiling
the figure of John J. Audubon
kneeling before
the pliant body of an expired duck.

I could see its slender, limp neck,
rich chestnut crown,
the soft grey throat,
and bright red bill,

even the strange pink legs.
And when I closed my eyes again
I could hear him whisper
in his hybrid Creole accent

*I have taken your life
so that some night a man
might open a book
and run his hand over your feathers,*

*so that he could come close enough
to study your pale brown flecks,
your white chin patch,
and the electric green of your neck,*

*so that he might approach
without frightening you into the sky,
and wonder how strange
to the earth he has become,*

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taught me that the more I put on my page, The less chaos I have in Eyes red, dried tears on her cheeks; On the roof she sits with pen and paper. Winner of the Prairie Schooner Book Prize in Poetry, Shane Book's collection, Ceiling of Sticks, is a powerful and unflinching sort of documentary poetics.

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