

## The Problem with Elsewhere

“You can’t be in two places at once.”

True enough—  
but you can *think* of places  
other than the one you happen to be in  
and *that* can lead to problems.

Never mind the massive folly of the daydreamer who,  
while conjuring honey-gold concubines  
sucking him heavenward—  
gets mangled between garbage truck  
and battered dumpster.

Many more subtle mishaps occur  
without death or mutilation  
such as this unbreakable habit:  
while the moment we call *Now*  
keeps recurring  
recurring  
recurring  
in perpetuity—  
imagine what *isn’t*  
instead of what *is*.