

Six Poems In An Apocalypse

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1.

And When The Rain Looked Like Snow

We see each other as children

Although we're adults.

And the world sees us as delinquent;

We see each other as children.

2.

And We'd Be Outside In Our T-Shirts

Almost one PM on a Saturday,
But at home it's 6 in the morning
So talking to our parents
Requires us to call back.

3.

And When We Stopped, There'd Be Hot Chocolate

On a walk we saw a distant cluster

And counted to nineteen;

The twentieth tree is a twig we found in the ground

After we'd passed.

4.

And Wonder If Any Of The Slush Would Stay For Tomorrow

Sometimes I miss climbing

The pine trees.

And the forest cover seems

Fresher than city rain.