

# MANDORLA

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AND POEMS

BY COLD STARLIGHT

names only I have  
studied

unclassified comfort in  
closed drawers

rubbish  
behind the mirror  
I step carefully so as

not to raise the dust

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ultimate concern at  
sunset or about

I do not  
yearn for heaven

I decline my soul in  
writing  
old eyes now in my

cold age  
just where lights are

going out  
thinking  
of going