

AMERICAN DREAMING

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The Great
American Dreamer
always busy
American dreaming

This country threw
your heart
to the sky
but it just
fell
back to Earth

And everyone told you
it was your fault
your heart was too full
to ever fly under
American gravity

You were only
grateful
to have been
alive
to have known
the Earth

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