

Another Piece of Coffee

(Inspired by Gertrude Stein's "A Piece of Coffee" from her book, Tender Buttons)

Bite dark bitten. Sauce beater. A Cold moon now from when.

Time is in coffee, the greet game gamble shame. Believing, tame, gathering time.

Brown rim lines my insides. Small splatters take no one form. A taste of gasoline,
a singe to keep me awake.

The mud-colored mixture of spirits comes alive with every passing minute.

Baker's slop, sea of mud-burnt wood. With each piece, it darkens inside,
brightens outside. An imbalance and balance of bitter harmony.

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