

An excerpt from "Time"

by Harold Bullock

Yes,
Seeing
Is better than blindness;
Knowing
Is better than mindless
Apprehension.
Yet,
Hard it is to walk
In the tension
Of what is and
What could be;
To choose faith over sight,
Yet evade presumption;
To wait on God,
Yet act with gumption!
And act I have...
Can wisdom now help
Build more than a cottage?
For more than pottage
I have sold my life;
But the price I exacted
Is too small
For the life
It extracted.