

Exhibition title: Beware of dogs gifts, presents

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The gift is given by the gift giver

get Gift give gifted got

ai dunder-dunder-dun-dun-dot-dot-dot

now, higher

i want

i want to give

i want to give you something

i have a full bottle of snails

i have an ache belly full

to Estev you should give

i want to give you

Show of love

from door to door

no philosophy of joy in giving

there is no giving

there is no gifting

only gestures

gesture of giving gestures

for today I am dressed in gestures

today I am wearing my blue cap

and (time)

I gave you my blue cap
when there is so much sun
disguised as the next spring's gift
a mask gift
art disguised gifts
never open a gift from my...
face to your face;
wait
let me give you a signal
spits badly on the ground
(beware of dogs who bring gifts)
i want to give you a wall
wall painting walls
work, hard, work
i want you to paint it black darkness
what's going on
i remember, i gave you a branch
the main one, you know, it flourishes
the swollen branch
the fruit of labour
i want silence
are you for the sun or the darkness
silence
and the wings smile
i want noise
for the fruit gives
the root receives
and i will bite them both

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