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*keeper this side midnight line*

simultaneous midnight-ceiling first sign down  
circumstantial magico moon paint millions different  
raw serenity once recall to judge  
changes drawing lines  
night thing says change

mountaintop morning last hand janum all forgotten  
legions imprint street extended out of blue  
savvy habit place forgotten counter-season  
keeper the immortal  
fuse disconnected hemispheres

midnight into altercation  
leave says annex judging facts  
recede parameters objects rabid some the same  
pay cross-line skirmish situation  
depleted circle circumspect to rain

change parameters divert border-metal phase  
change things-to-slurs whose context back-mind down  
replace reality anchor striven circumstance select revise it  
second-hand blue wounds expressive  
clash operating limits, deduce metal

every second sound impressed  
stultifying site parade-ground legions  
livid seasons shoes revise as objects choose a situation  
what heard about you to recall  
both change imprint

mountaintop of india sky-wide parameters trampled out with boots  
words, crops for exportation polish what was habit, custom  
stand to dull incessant fighting who was able savvy wounds  
seek whose alert live ways discard the same  
what field creative

impressed with overheard parade  
illuminated hemisphere enlightened half-world-down  
street the facts what colour habit  
mirror glaze revealing millions  
situation second-winding-down, the prize  
fall down to limit second midnight

belong to action reconciling silence  
choose burnished link forgotten hold to suffocating mirror  
polish handslurs obsidian senses history, blades, a convoy slash  
shop more words feed storm of shells change books  
market words divert existence parallel to surface current  
graze second-hand monsoon and limit both

rise up to reconnaitre rain  
imprint parameters  
parameters invent a people  
subvert a fact which pockmark-printed border  
sink downstream, list both list repeat

whose life reiterated fighting downspread trampled into paper  
contest outline back of mind recall initial shiny phrases  
to who recall  
birth a people, hammer out a limit  
line-cross words go weep the roadside  
do they hear you amareswar  
sky-ceiling rusted down