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CELEBRITY'S WILL

by Frank William Finney

Send my brothers the rest of my suits; My sister, the towels and whatever surviving pets she might like.

Divide the children among the houses and land.

When the ashes are ready, throw them off the Golden Gate.

For years and years, I dreamt I jumped.

Better late than never.

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FOREVER IS A SQUEAKY HINGE

by Dan A. Cardoza

Even the door of eternity needs oiling now & again.

A colossal steamer sails a cargo of doors from harbor to Milky Way.

Missing you.

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Frank was born in Massachusetts and educated at the University of Massachusetts and Simmons College Graduate Studies. HIs work has appeared in such publications as RE:AL—The Journal of Liberal Arts (Texas), The Maryland Poetry Review, (USA), Orbis: an international quarterly of poetry and prose (UK), Paris/Atlantic (France), Offerte Speciale (Italy), The Nation (Thailand), and The Best of the Vine Leaves Literary Journal (Australia). He currently lives in Bangkok, Thailand, where he is a senior lecturer at Thammasat University.

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David simply must create. Whether it be creation via drawing or painting, it is in his marrow, and has been ever since he was a child. Truthfully, he has no clue why or where the impulse began, but he has followed it and tried his best to stay true to it throughout his life. Each drawing and painting he creates does have a personal story, and if asked he's sure he could unfurl a flowery digression on the psychology of each piece, but underneath it all, it is very simple: a pure unquenchable desire to create. Find him at the following links:

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