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**that of the old earth**

you know it as your home

get ready for alien ships in your breakfast bowl, brother

the shark saws on the earth with a waterpik

when you can't be the copier

you can be the coffee maker

cup, not yup

a dawning day

chief amongst these is the earthworm

what are you doing about the leaking time on earth today?

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on this morning of the thinking machine  
the talking hand is ready to begin

and that means another toast and jam  
to be startled by thunder is natural

the welcome mark of the traveling king  
the sea turtle is the moon

the 4D planet is ready  
now I'll walk into the sun

the water hums in the language of the lake  
I am a tree seeking the light

**astro wolfie**

I have a beaded head like a snake  
or someone walking around like one

a sox catch for rooting now  
the worried elephant was a walker

the tired light from another galaxy  
earth gets it all over again

in tired times  
there will be a cheer

I'm getting closer to the river with every step  
I'm pleased to introduce you to the heavenly monsters

**powdered rats in baseball jeans**

the life cereal will be provided at no cost  
the pillsbury *tock-tock* at the little library

another ship has been spotted above houston  
oh, it's one of ours

“make it a bee day,”  
says the cloud

the single word  
the buffalo sun

all the way to the bridge  
the lark is a bunting bud

**faith in the feather**

this one is the marbled sun

the tree  
the dollar sign  
the mushroomed earth

the steak of the eye  
in the sink

the stuffy wing  
a news danger

a beard of angelic moss  
the talking scythe's charm

**it's either an actuarial farm or the sports section**

saint fred  
the plains santa

leisure  
to the left

in the chicken hut  
    one of them was  
    a knife

a chance to win(d)

**elf-o**

among the wolves is the wilbur

in the darkness  
in the tree

and the hulk is winning  
the brain of the sleeping skull

**in the spray of the furnace**

the bowl of earth  
I know

forestry paul

a little scientific  
this loose leaf apple