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Life, friends, is boring. We must not say so.

After all, the Something enormous flashes, the great Something enormous yearns,

we ourselves flash and yearn,

and moreover my mother told me as a boy

(repeatingly) "Ever to confess you're bored

means you have no

Inner Resources. "I conclude now I have no

inner resources, because I am heavy bored.

_____ Something that bores you _____ bore me,

_____ Something that bores you _____ bores me, especially great _____ Something that bores you _____

_____ Something that bores you _____ bores me, with his plights & gripes

as bad as Achilles,

who loves _____ Something that bores you _____ and _____ Adjective _____ Something that bores you _____ which bores me.

And the _____ Adjective _____ hills, & gin, look like a drag

and somehow a dog

has taken itself & its tail considerably away

into the mountains or _____ Something enormous _____ or _____ Something enormous _____ leaving

behind: me, wag.