

Night errors

in darkness, read to me

the roof collapsed, they were transforming into a _____
neither the _____ nor _____ could save it. When they returned,

no _____ or _____ or _____ could be extracted
then – of course – the floor caved in

any relationship with the landlord is pretty much shot
first report a habitability issue, then deal with it

since the foundation has been removed
their general mood has not improved greatly

in the dream last night they gave birth to a house
it was so exciting to do a walk-through-womb

forgetting where the keys are
they could be under the _____ or behind the _____

underneath ownership is control, the life clutch
signatures have the power to _____ doors

let's excavate, get right inside the dirt
at night their errors, flashing binary code

call it survival, call it a sense of belonging
the thesis is so obvious it's true

neighbours are staring through the window
should they stop trying to keep up with the wind?

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as I lie in the power of the world
as though my life is spread before me

call it ill dreams
something wrong at night

a serpent bearer
rogue sidereal constellation

behind the veil of shelves, the loosened coils
closing the _____ is meant to open some inward source

remembering the future
the _____ breaks where it was fastened to the _____

to lose nightly what we have seen
to quite comfortably deny it

formulate a question, confect it
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we forget for the moment
from the other room

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