...october 7, 2011...

a fusion time from tick to tock until circle of the clock scatters numerals in time to redefine the afternoon –

a quarter petal past a flower and half past the garden gate we can meet beside the shop where coffee watchers mark their seats –

then three apples after lunch the almost break we bargained on will turn our faces back around until the sun breaks out of cloud –

across the street from drive to park we'll finish where the hour stopped and with the twilight – sleep again tonight beneath a larger moon.

> ©pamela swanson www.poetpam.com