

Petrified Forest

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Old crag, show me your lightning bolt branch  
Sediment seeps into your veins  
Like a crystal molasses  
That oozes with cobalt stains

And copper snowflakes too. Remember  
The summer when the glacier melted deep  
And the floods ran fierce and fast  
The devil we did keep

Among us and how many we lost  
Uprooted then by nature's unbiased hand  
Floating away and tempest tossed  
Destruction I'll never understand.