The Cultivation of Love

you will find
after a while
that you have to work
the same earth
again and again
the same soil
rich or poor
dark or light
it's the same earth
again and again
that you have to work
to get anything to grow

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