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Nick  
I come alone at night,  
because I am ashamed.  
I prefer to be anonymous  
if it's all the same.  
This teachers things,  
I've never heard,  
like; "Being born again  
is the only way to be assured."  
I stare at him in amazement,  
like my head is in a daze,  
"You're one who's teaching Israel  
and yet you look amazed."  
These things I tell you  
they must be so!  
I'm a teacher of others  
and yet I do not know.  
Sometimes I feel just like Nick.  
Got lots of book smart and knowledge  
and I come off as pretty slick.  
Ashamed sometimes  
at my own ignorance.  
Makes me wonder if  
if it's me or if it's Nick  
that's writing this. . . .