

Crashing at Corona

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Wind sure kicked up in the last hour or so
Just as re-entry was close we came tumbling down
Like a falling star over New Mexico

They snowed the crashing at Corona
Threatened the teletype photographed our bodies
They sold the crashing at Corona
As a radar reflector flew us out to Albuquerque

Brass came to the Great Plains with their armored cars jeeps and junk
Took great pains with the remains till they all were inside the
crates and trunks
Then the freight was lifted into the bombers' haul

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Rains came plugged the storm drains shame while the 509th bomb
grew
Rocket wrecks wind the Bolex days of space age what lie next
Verification of the Kodak test

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