

James Petty  
WordsUncaged Submission  
(Poem)

**“Beyond”**

Far beyond the existence of life as we know  
it to be... lies a place that's more prodigious than me,  
full of darkness and infestation – where ones' dignity  
is compromised and souls are lost...

Uncertainty dwells not just in the mind but,  
the air as well.

From one moment to the next one demise could  
be near, fear of many things we all know.  
Enfolded in a encrustation with no sense of hope  
or direction.

Extricate is what we seek, both spectrally  
and somatically. But who are we; the  
forgotten nucleus that cries out for someone  
to hear...

You can ask why should we care but, the  
facts remain the same, we are the lost sheep  
from the same flock...

We've been astray for some time now, and  
through the path of dubiousness  
we wish to be free.