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## Those Above Us

--Why are you not like parrots  
or horses at least,  
so that you mechanically memorize the road,  
or some isolated word  
by those chosen by God—  
more intelligent than us?—  
said the professor in passing.

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