

(Photo: "Digging under Asphalt", A Neon Graffiti: N. America)

Love and Place

In the present era, we abandon
each other at the drop of a hat
because, both individually and
collectively, we deserted long ago
the very earth upon
which we stand.
Without a soil made rich
by generations of care, even
the most heartfelt feelings can
find no place to root
and call home.