

THINK OF A RIVER

THINK OF A RIVER where it begins,
THINK OF RIVER where it begins, in high mountains,
with snowfields and glaciers, and flows fast and furious
only to slam into a dam further downstream.
Call this dam **THE HOUSE OF THOUGHT**.
Now, begin again. **THINK OF A RIVER**, not of water, but
of energy, of intelligence, of wisdom, of love and compassion.
Think of this river of energy's source, outside of **SPACE & TIME**,
outside of everything known or knowable, flowing fast
and furious, only to slam again into a dam.
Call this dam **THE HOUSE OF THOUGHT**.
Everything below the dam is hopelessly polluted, corrupt.
Now, begin again. **THINK OF A RIVER**, both rivers at once.
Above **THE HOUSE OF THOUGHT**, we see that liberation
from this **HOUSE OF THOUGHT** is really our only problem.
All else further downstream depends of this.
It is the pilgrim's way,

(Muted) **SNAKE RIVER COUNTRY**, above the BROWNLEE, OXBOW
& HELLS CANYON DAMS, natural border of present-day IDAHO & OREGON