

**It Starts at Moses**

A nazi killed

Folks of melanin

And the deepest dye

In Buffalo

Killing off lives

And destinies

That are now forever lost

But these tragedies

Buffalo, Uvalde

Club Q

Starts at places

Like Moses

Where government

Sends coded signals

Like Morse Code

To the worst of society

That Black Lives

Don't matter

When black graves

Can be desecrated

In broad daylight

To the tune

Of bulldozers

And machinery

Despite tombstones

And water

Coming up

On the dead run

It starts at Moses

In places

That would rather

Whitewash

Their sins

Instead of reckon

Return and repair

But the white wash

Comes back

To burn

And the truth

Punches forward

But overt white supremacist violence

Comes from silence

Compliance

From implicit

Violence

And that starts

At places

Like Moses.