

p r o c r a s t i n a t i o n

I have two essays,
a project,
and a poem all due, two days ago,
exams in two weeks
With me left wondering
Where did the time go?

(I think back to when all that was due in a month

a month

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A lot of time...

or so it would seem

For most students know time management is an unimaginable myth - a dream,

of demon teachers and motivational speakers

sent in by school excess to earn their cheques.)

There was an instant when I was going to begin,

a sideways glance at my desk,

a feeling of guilt...and a brief p a u s e.

The beginning of the end began

at that single moment of hesitation,

It lead to my *perfectly* logical illogical justification,

Only to be satisfied by that inevitable bout of Netflix binging, YouTube linking, Snapchat sharing
- instant gratification.

Now I sit here and I hesitate, contemplate, do I work – or procrastinate?

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