

There Goes

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The Lac d'Annecy, Paul Cézanne, 1896

There goes the last boat.
There goes the last star.

There go the women
Over the wave,
Afloat and afar.

Another sea, another ocean.
A new sign, an emotion.

But we are bidden

To be brave:

To chase the last boat,
The last star.

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