

-- lines and bridles --

you see
the trick
with kites

is rather like
the trick
with running:
always falling
forwards but
never falling down

the trick
with kites

is always
throwing them
away from
yourself

the trick
with kites is

never pulling them
to you
against the
air that is
holding you
apart
unless there
is nothing
holding you
apart

the trick
with kites

is to loosen
the lines
when they
yearn most
for freedom

the trick
with kites

is to know
a gift
you give
eternally
to the sky
not a diamond
to put
in your pocket

the trick
with kites

is when they
want to
crash and burn
just let go
let go
loosen your
fingers
drop the
lines
leave it
to

...float ...

would you
rather see it
broken?

would you
rather see it
lost...

you see
the trick
with love

is rather like
the trick
with kites...

- anke