

# Pretending Veracity, History Winks

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Pretending veracity, history winks  
to let us know we can't know

history, having not been there,  
and having been, been

incapable of any but our own  
small point of view.

Mosaics are a trick of the eye, seeming,  
in their artful brokenness, complete.

