

# The Reward of Work is Harder Work

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Work to bring them profits. Facilitate  
corrupt reversal of anything noble  
in noblesse oblige. If you stop, you starve

and they just offer what you do  
to others, starved already,  
and schooled, as you, in servitude.

You are the fatty fuel  
they burn, hour by deadly hour,  
in their elaborate machines.

