

World Trade Center

by Jerry Ratch

I can feel the souls
of those who perished
here
They're still here
like old kites
hanging in the sky

tattered, but they
won't come down
or can't come down
just yet

because they haven't
fulfilled their
unborn promises
to the sky
that was so full of
reason and light

and reason
and faith
and hope for the
future of mankind

6/7/10, NYC
WTC
at Broadway

as the Wall Street
hordes keep
streaming toward
the PATH

underground
going home
to New Jersey

