Forbidding Entropy

As I step through the door, I am greeted by the familiar golden sunshine Seamlessly illuminating the cherry red hardwood. The uninterrupted ruby red tones Brighten my dark eyes to auburn. As usual, no breaks In the rays of sunlight That would naturally be tainted By floating dust in the air.

You spend your time seeking That brilliant shine, The polished glimmer, Gives you peace of mind, All while you scramble mine.

You are angry. You are frustrated. You are overworked? You *are* overworked. It is as clear As the bloody gleam in the hardwood, As clear As my fiery red eyes.

Yet, You are unable to cleanse Yourself of Your burning anger, And now, You are full of ashes.

The pile of dust Swallows up the entire depth of your mind. Yet, all you Choose to see, Is a warm fuzzy carpet In the saddest color of gray. Left untouched, It is now overflowing. The gray spills over And into me, Your anger Ignites a flame. My pigtails Are now ablaze. My eyes burn red. And MY soul catches fire, Fueled by blazing hurt That I, Am unable to cleanse. Nothing was as easy as forbidding entropy in the house.

Now, I lay awakened In a dark tidy room. The ashes have settled inside of me. The moon illuminates my eyes to a dull red. Not a hair out of place. And I remember to breathe.

~ Jasleen