

Paul Dutton / SOUND POETRY

- 1) Sound Poetry is a synthesis of all other poetries.
- 2) Sound Poetry bypasses the process of ideation to speak to its audience on a completely visceral level.
- 3) Sound Poetry is not Sound Poetry but the silence of the poet being spoken through.
- 4) Sound Poetry is a fusion of the essential elements of several arts into a new art based on the exploration of the body's potential for sound and silence, the capacity of the body to produce that sound and that silence.
- 5) The significance of Sound Poetry in relation to syntactical poetry is its force in returning the poet to the muscular basis of language in the large apparatus of speech from the genitals to the roof of the skull so that words are recharged with the energy of physical movement, the ultimate basis of emotion (it moved me).

wah hwah wah wah ters

hwaaaaaaaah duuyyyyy yyy yyy
duyy y yy Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y
duy y Y Y y Y Y Y Y y y p DEEP

LAZY ALPHABET

Begin with extended drone chant of "a"
upon completing which
continue in the same mode with unintelligibly slurred
elision of the remaining letters of the
alphabet for approximately the same period
of time
and conclude with extended drone chant of "z"
for, again, approximately the same period
of time.

z Ä Å à A Ä E e é è Æ æ



SOUND BLUES FOR MUDDY WATERS

mud/ mud/ mud/ dyy dyy
 dyyyyyyyyy dyy dyy dyyyyyyyyy
 waaaaaaaaahhhhhh haaaaaaaaahhhhhh
 hwa wah wah wä hwa wah wah wä
 hwa wah wah wä hwa wah wah wä
 hwa wah wah wah hwä hwa wah wah wah hwä
 waaaaaaaaahhhhhh haaaaaaaaahhhhhh
 hwa wä hwa wä
 hwä ters hwä ters uhwä ters
 duuyyyyyyy/ters ters
 duuyyyyyyy/ters ters
 duuyyyyyyy/ters ters ters ters
ters ters ters

wah hwah wah wah ters
wah hwah wah wah ters

TIME

time time time time
time time time time
tame time time time
time tame time time
time time tame time
time time time tame

time time time time time time time time time
te me ti me ti me ti me ti me ti me ti me

ti me t ti me t ti me t ti me t
t time t ti me t time tiedime tiedime tiedime tiedime tied

ime tied t time's tides

tied me t tied me t tied me t tied me ti tied me t

tied tide tied tide tied tide tied tide tied tide

t time time time t i me

i me	i me
i me	i me
i me	i me
un me	un me
un me	un me
un me	unme
unme n	unme

i me un me	i me	un me
i free	un me	i me

i free	unme	i me	unfree
i me	i me	un free	i me un me i free
un me	un me	un me	un mee i me unfree
unfree	un me	ifree	unme un free

untie me untie me untie me
untieme until m until me until me