

A RESEMBLANCE

As a word is
mostly connotation,

matter is mostly
aura?

Halo?

(The same loneliness
that separates me

from what I call
“the world.”)

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Quiet, ragged
skirt of dust

encircling a ceramic
gourd.

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Look-alikes.

“Are you happy now?”

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Would I like
a vicarious happiness?

Yes!

Though I suspect
yours of being defective,

forced