

it's saturday morning
and you need to make waffles
your whole life
is suddenly about waffles
and maple syrup and
you get the mixing bowl out and
pour in milk and mix the flour
and sugar but
you have no eggs
not one egg



so you run next door
in your slippers and knock
can i have two eggs?

now imagine
that there is no one next door
no eggs
no way to get them
so
no way to make waffles

if you're not
part of a neighborhood
then your breakfast
is an empty plate

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chances are
you're not a mogul
you don't have teams
of interns schooling
like fish around
the day's work
you're in it instead
kinda on your own
no multinational
to rely upon
but maybe being small
means you can change faster
and you can be a mogul
in your own café
or laundromat or
florist shop
maybe if you're
smarter
we'll all be smarter
together



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main street

they laughed at the plow
since they had arms and legs already

and they laughed at the tractor
since they had the ox and plow already

and they laughed at the harvester
since they had the trusty john deere already

so this sensor
is no joke

the farmer knows
that the seed was a technology
that seemed absurd

an oak from an acorn

yeah right
but there you are standing in its shade

let's stop laughing
and start adapting again



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because time and distance rule us
because it's hard to get from point A to point B
because the cold doesn't wait until 9am to start
because the doctor's doors have locks and lights out
because you're working and working and working
because the clinic is farther than your gas tank
because you care when someone's coughing
because people make policy and not the other way around
because getting hurt and falling ill is universal
because no one really wishes you ill or wants you hurt
because time can be overcome on the phone
because distance can be shrunk on the screen
because we need to be well



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health

somewhere over the rainbow pinwheel
my homework is done

and the sun broke through
the rain clouds
when i clicked send



somewhere
all of our choices
became rights
that were guaranteed
and funded

somewhere oh somewhere
please point me there

it's past bedtime
and i haven't finished
anything but getting
this pinwheel spinning

i just want to do my work
so i can go
somewhere

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