



Bem sei que as partes

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que me cercam

não me atendem

que me debato

num exílio

de fontes e cuidados

que sonho a cada instante

um vento que me leve

para outro mundo

esse outro cada vez

mais outro

e mais distante

sei que me esperas

junto ao nada

onde fundaste

uma demanda

de torrentes e de

espinhos

mas como aderir

às rochas nuas

e às estrelas frias

de teu mundo

que segue além

desse meu vasto

desamparo?

trago um deserto de pedra

e areia dentro de mim

e é quanto me basta

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LITERARY INTERACTION

with the Brazilian writer

MARCO LUCCHESI



Marco Lucchesi, poet, novelist, essayist and translator was born in Rio de Janeiro, who has published, among other books, *Nove Cartas Sobre a Divina Comédia* (Nine Letters about the Divine Comedy), *O Dom do Crime* (The Gift of Crime), *Meridiano Celeste & Bestiário* (Celestial Meridian Bestiary), *Sphera, A Memória de Ulisses* (Ulisses's Memory), *Ficções de um Gabinete Ocidental* (Fictions of a Western Cabinet), *Os olhos do Deserto* (The Eyes of the Desert), *Poemas Reunidos* (Collected Poems) and *Teatro Alquímico* (Alchemic Theatre).

His books have been translated into German, Persian, Romanian and Swedish. The author has also published several books in Italian.

Luchesi has received several national and international awards for his work, among which the following: *Alceu Amoroso Lima Award* (Brazil), for lifetime achievement in poetry; *Marin Sorescu Prize* (Romania); the prize of *Ministero dei Beni Culturali* (Italy); the prize *Prometeo d'Argento della Presidenza della Repubblica* (Italy) as well as the *Pantera d'Oro* (Lucca, Italy), and the *Lauro Dantesco* prize (Ravenna, Italy).

Marco Lucchesi is a professor at the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro and at Oswaldo Cruz Foundation. In 2011, he was elected for chair number 15 of the Brazilian Academy of Letters.

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