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"Your Dream-book is a numinous Computer..." (Wilson Harris)

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## Amanecí de bala / Víctor Valera Mora

## I Woke Up to Bullets

I woke up to bullets I woke up well magnificently well all surly today I won't change a second of my life for a red flag I would change my whole life for that woman's hair tall and blonde when I go to the School of Pharmacy I'll tell her I'll definitely tell her a matter of mine to wake up like this this morning when I opened the doors with the first gust stirring knocking everything over my lungs were filled by the other poets of the Lautréamont gang great gentlemen barely tolerated by their women I ask the most frenetic one about his book vagancia city how I love to complicate my friends I name them all the time the devil won't take me alone she used to be called Frida and she lived in Bavaria in a house made of big rocks lifted by her Viking lover her follies in the Sargasso Sea there's sun until dawn and I think I'll never die and yet I want this day to survive me I'm disproportionate or excessive and I don't give anyone advice but today I can see more clearly than ever and I want everyone else to participate beautiful day you extol me unbridled happiness I have no commerce with death I don't fear it I carry the life of each day in my blood I am of this world good like a child implacable like a child I maintain a steel faithfulness to my childhood dreams in this point I am Socratic he and I fly kites we restore the golden age the "what will there be" at the end of the suspended arc just now a river is moving there's a dark-skinned woman of aggressive beauty she told me but you're so cute so then I told her doesn't it happen every two thousand years I lose the thread

Amanecí de bala (1971)

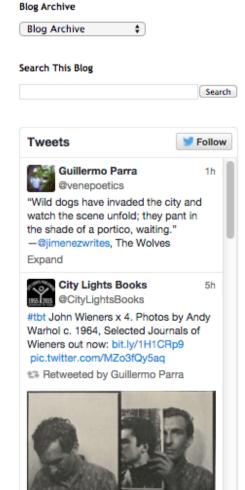


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naked we sink into the waters of the same river