

Puppies in a Box

it's often declared
among relationshipped folk:
"marriage is hard work"

not so, in our nest
I don't own you, nor you me
one plus one is three

no promises bind
I choose you afresh each day
our freedoms unchained

kindnesses gifted
each in debt to the other
both balance sheets green

key: primal friendship
secret simple sauce known by
puppies in a box

