

Cosmic New Year

one solar round trip
Earth-Sun distance times two-pi
back home? ... no, Sun moved

Earth's orbital gait
thirty thousand miles per hour
speed kills, police warn

Milky Way rotates
Sun orbits black hole center
last year's home's long gone

galaxy moves, too
nothing stays where we left it
forsake permanence

enjoy this wild ride
home is today ... be. here. now.
new year's cheer, Earthlings!

