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How A Little Bit Of Sick

dampens everything

Makes you wanna be more grateful
for the days without

But since I'm no exception from average mankind,
much of the gratitude is missing

Righteous assumption when not sick
that riding the high wave should continue eternally

Oh my blindness
Ethereal body you are wilted today

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Morning Digestion

Read Bukowski for breakfast,
including that one with the radio
he threw out the window every
time he got drunk, always breaking
the window. Then he added
something about watching a
scantily clad neighbor digging
in her garden patch just below.
I wondered if she happened to
show up, scantily clad, every
time Charles B. got drunk and
threw the radio out the window.

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