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Fast Food Generation

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French Fries
Fried in Fat
Fat which functions
Functions as Food
Food fabricated in labs
Fruits and Fibers
No longer fruitful
This function of society
This facet of economy
Fools us with its façade
Funny that fools like us
Freely facilitate faculty
Phasing out farmers
Faked out by friendliness
Focus groups force-feed
Our corn-fed minds
Fill our food with fructose
Food and Drug Administration
Frantically failing
For profit
In fast food we trust
In fast food we see
Ourselves
Fat and Dysfunctional