

KREON [TO GUARD]: GO [EXIT GUARD]
KREON [TO ANTIGONE]: YOU KNEW IT WAS AGAINST
THE LAW ANTIGONE:

WELL IF YOU CALL THAT LAW

KREON: I DO ANTIGONE: ZEUS DOES NOT JUSTICE DOES
NOT THE DEAD DO NOT. WHAT THEY CALL LAW DID
NOT BEGIN TODAY OR YESTERDAY WHEN THEY SAY LAW
THEY DO NOT MEAN A STATUTE OF TODAY OR

YESTERDAY THEY MEAN THE UNWRITTEN UNFAILING
ETERNAL ORDINANCES OF THE GODS THAT NO HUMAN
BEING CAN EVER OUTFIT. OF COURSE I WILL DIE KREON
OR NO KREON AND DEATH IS FINE. THIS HAS NO PAIN
TO LEAVE A MOTHER'S SON LYING OUT THERE UNBURIED
THAT WOULD BE PAIN

CHORUS: RAW AS HER FATHER ISN'T SHE

KREON: YOU THINK YOU ARE IRON BUT I CAN BEND
YOU I'M THE MAN HERE ANTIGONE: YES YOU ARE
KREON: I'LL BEND YOUR SISTER TOO ANTIGONE: CAN
WE JUST GET THIS OVER WITH KREON: NO LET'S SPLIT
HAIRS A WHILE LONGER, I'D SAY YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE
IN THEBES WHO SEES THINGS THIS WAY WOULDN'T YOU
YOU'RE AUTONOMOUS AUTARCHIC AUTODIDACTIC
AUTODOMESTIC AUTOEMPATHIC
AUTOTHERAPEUTIC

AUTO HISTORICAL

AUTO METAPHORICAL

AUTOEROTIC

AND

AUTOBEGUILED

ANTIGONE: ACTUALLY NO THEY ALL THINK LIKE ME
BUT YOU'VE NAILED THEIR TONGUES TO THE FLOOR. KREON:
YOU'RE NOT ASHAMED. ANTIGONE: NO SHAME IN
HONORING ONE'S KIN. KREON: WASN'T THE OTHER
BROTHER YOUR KIN TOO. ANTIGONE: SAME MOTHER
SAME FATHER. KREON: YET YOU HONOR THE ONE
AND DISGRACE THE OTHER. ANTIGONE: MY DEAD DO
NOT SAY SO. KREON: THE ONE A CRIMINAL THE
OTHER A DEFENDER OF OUR LAND. ANTIGONE: DEATH
NEEDS TO HAVE DEATH'S LAWS OBEYED. KREON: SAME
LAW FOR GOOD AND EVIL. PATRIOT AND TRAITOR.
ANTIGONE: OH WHO KNOWS HOW THESE DEFINITIONS
WORK DOWN THERE. KREON: ENEMY IS ALWAYS ENEMY

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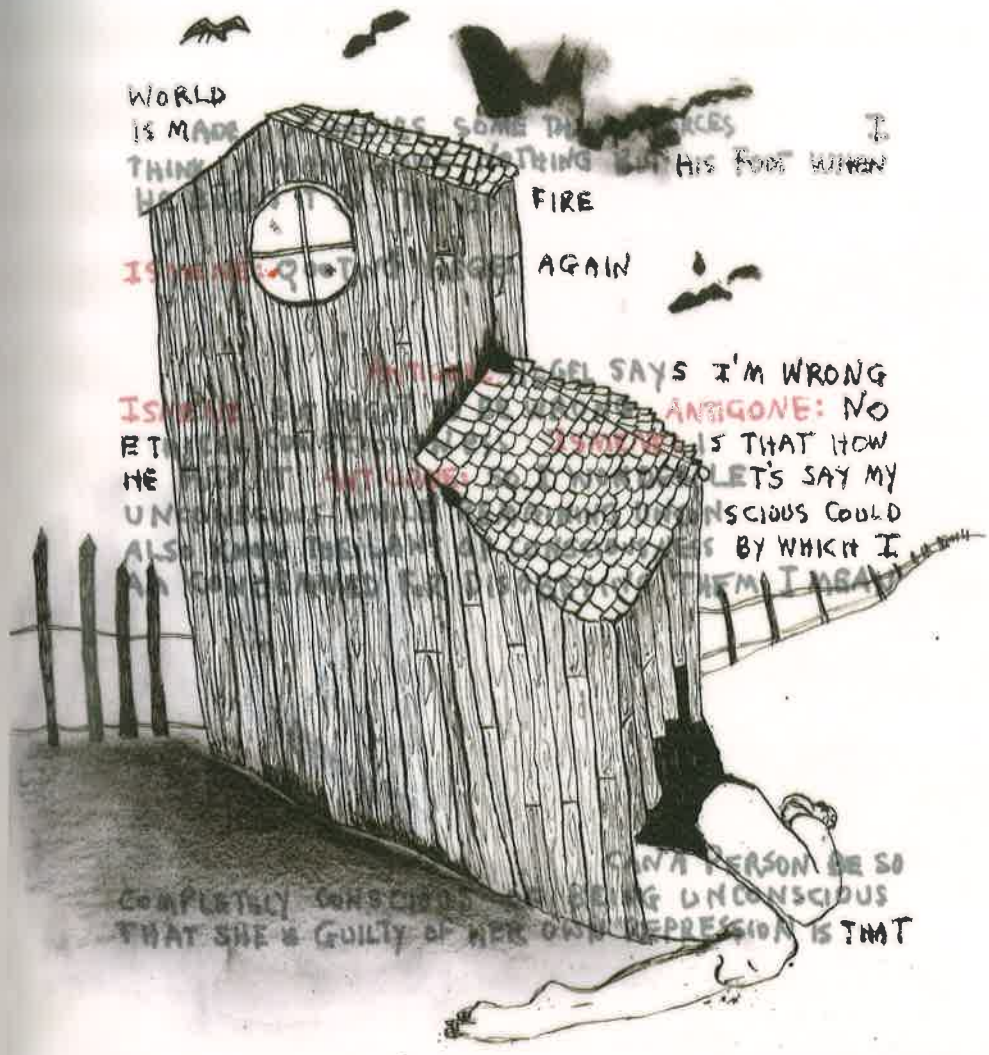
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 BOAT WITH YOU ANTIGONE: SAVE YOURSELF ISMENE:
 I'LL BE SO LONELY ANTIGONE: SOME THINK THE

WORLD IS MADE OF STONES
 THINGS ARE MADE OF STONES
 I THINK HE'S GOT HIS FOOT UP ON
 FIRE AGAIN

ANTIGONE SAYS I'M WRONG
 ISMENE: NO ANTIGONE: NO
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THINK A MAN KNOWS NOTHING BUT HIS FOOT WHEN
HE BURNS IT IN THE HOT FIRE

ISMENE: QUOTING HEGEL AGAIN

ANTIGONE: HEGEL SAYS I'M WRONG
ISMENE: BUT RIGHT TO BE WRONG ANTIGONE: NO
ETHICAL CONSCIOUSNESS ISMENE: IS THAT HOW
HE PUTS IT ANTIGONE: SO I WONDER, LET'S SAY MY
UNCONSCIOUS WHILE REMAINING UNCONSCIOUS COULD
ALSO KNOW THE LAWS OF CONSCIOUSNESS BY WHICH I
AM CONDEMNED FOR DISOBEYING THEM I MEAN

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