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Born in St. Louis in 1953 David E. Patton studied at Naropa in 1981. He have been writing since 1969 and have one book out. As of Oct of 2008 my second book came out

# Your Touch

When you touch me  
It is a delicate gesture  
That I find full of meaning  
However slight the wanting touch  
I enjoy it fully  
As if something is transmitted  
From you into my soul.  
To speak of the soul  
Seem somehow trice  
By the way that the word is  
Thrown around now days.  
Still your touch goes beyond my skin  
To a place where it linger  
Smoldering like a fire  
That will catch me up.

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